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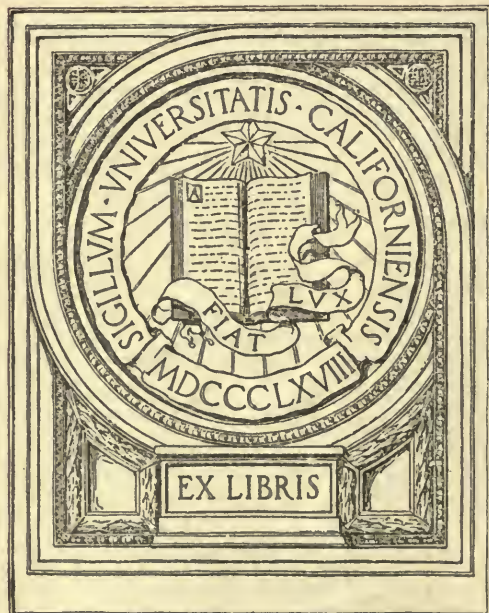


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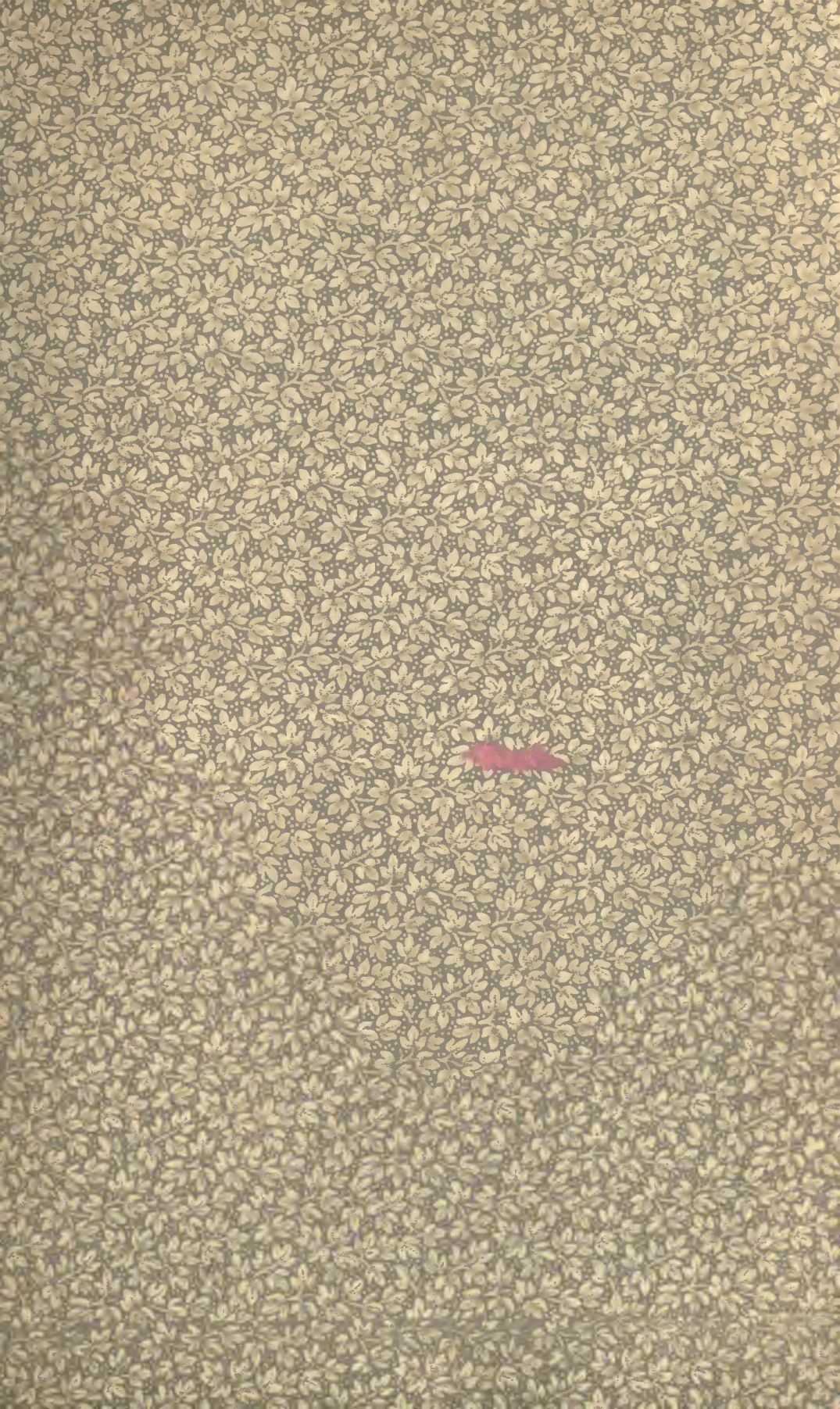
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and murder our People. — Look upon
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emy, — and

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Companies, Dutch and English; the English and French Colonies in North America; Canada, New England, New Netherlands, Pennsylvania and Virginia; Brazil, Mexico, Peru, and other parts of Spanish America; China, Japan, India, Australia, the Philippines, the Moluccas, and the Isles of the Seas; Greenland, Iceland and the Northern Regions generally. Besides these there will be found many uncommon books relating to the early history of America; the American Revolution; and the war of 1812, all pertaining alike to American and English History; also examples of early printing in America, especially New England, and a great variety of miscellaneous American Literature, political, historical, geographical, genealogical, local and general.

Besides the Americana, mention should be made of the great collections of Early English Black Letter Robin Hood and other Ballads, rivalling in importance and quality, not in number, the famous Roxburgh Collection; the first edition of Chaucer's collected works, 1532, and various others.

Among the Manuscripts particular attention is called to the unrivalled Collection of original autograph Poems of Robert Burns; the collection of transcripts for the Life and Exploits of Sir Francis Drake; the original records of the Trustees in London for the Colony of Georgia; Collections for the History of the Revolution in New England in Governor Andross's time 1688-1690; Papers relating to the progress of the Gospel in New England 1641-1654; the important original Records of the Colony of Virginia, 1752-1758, including no less than 18 original Autograph Letters of the youthful GEORGE WASHINGTON; Spanish Tracts (69), manuscript and printed (Papeles Varios) mostly relating to America, 1638-1671, believed to have been brought together by Solorzano y Pereyra, author of *Politica Indiana* and Councillor of the Indies; and lastly Henry Stevens's entire FRANKLIN COLLECTION.

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- 28 Appleton (Nathaniel, Pastor of the First Church in Cambridge) The Great Blessing of Good Ruling, &c. Massachusetts Election Sermon, May 26, 1742, *clean copy, half title, title and 60 pp.* 8vo. Boston, J. Draper, 1742

- 29 Appleton (Nathaniel, Pastor of the First Church in Cambridge) Faithful Ministers of Christ, the Salt of the Earth and the Light of the World, a Sermon before the Massachusetts Bay annual Convention of Ministers at Boston, May 26, 1743, *uncut, 56 pp.* 8vo. Boston, printed by Rogers & Fowle for Samuel Eliot, 1743

- 30 ARTICLES (The) of Confederation, the Declaration of Rights, the Constitution of this Commonwealth, and the Articles of the Definitive Treaty between Great Britain and the United States of America, published by Order of the General Assembly [of Virginia] 25 pp. *fine copy, uncut, scarce* Richmond, Dixon & Holt [1784]

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I maun hae a wife, whatsoe'er she be;
 An she be a woman, that's enugh for me.

Chorus.

Buy broom besoms! wha will buy
 them now;
 Fine heather ringers, better never
 grew.

If that she bony, I shall think her right
 If that she be ugly, where's the odds at
 night? Buy broom, &c.

O, an she be young, how happy shall I be!
 If that she be auld, the sooner she will
 die. Buy broom, &c.

If that she be fruitfu', O! what joy is
 there!

If she should be barren, less will be my
 care. Buy broom, &c.

If she like a drappie, she & I'll agree;
 If she dinna like it, there's the mair for
 me. Buy broom, &c.

Be she green, or gray; be she black or
 fair;

Let her be a woman, I shall seek nae
 mair. Buy broom, &c.

Turn over.

1. *Same tune.*

Young and souple was I, when I lap
 the dyke;
 Now I'm auld and frail, I downa step a
 syke.

Chorus.

Buy broom besoms! wha will buy
 them now;
 Fine heather ringers, better never
 grew.

2.

Young & souple was I, when at Lauthers
 lack;
 Now I'm auld & frail, & lie at Nansie's
 back. Buy broom, &c.

3.

Had she gien me butter, when she gae
 me bread,
 I wad looked baulder, wi' my beld head.
 Buy broom, &c.

91 BURNS (ROBERT, *Poet*) TWO AUTOGRAPH POEMS or Fragments in the well-known hand of the Poet, on a quarto sheet, being a leaf of a letter to his friend Mrs. Dunlop, written in Dec. 1788, with Auld Lang Syne, &c. *clean and in good order, bound in red morocco.* The first is the last 12 lines of "THE SILVER TASSIE," all that Burns himself owned to be his, wanting the borrowed first 4 lines given here in *italics*. The other wants the end 29 lines. Both fragments are given entire for collation.

In 1859 another leaf from this same letter to Mrs. Dunlop containing "Auld Lang Syne," was sent by the writer to Chancellor Pruyn of Albany, New York, and reached him about 9 o'clock in the evening, at a great Burns' Festival in honor of the Poet's birth. The entire company at once rose, joined hands, and sang the well-known song, the chairman reading out the lines two by two, Scotch Precentor fashion, from the autograph of the Poet. It is possible these two leaves after long separation may meet again in the New World.

Go, fetch me a pint o' wine,

And fill it in a silver tassie;

That I may drink before I go,

A service to my bonie lassie.

The boat rocks at the Pier o' Leith;

Fu' loud the wind blows frae the Ferry,

The ship rides by the Berwick law,

And I maun lea'e by bony Mary.

The trumpets sound, the banners fly,

The glittering spears are ranked ready;

The shouts o' war are heard afar,

The battle closes thick & bloody;

But it's not the roar o' sea or shore,

Wad make me langer wish to tarry;

Nor shouts o' war that's heard afar,

It's leaving thee, my bonie Mary.

I have made an alteration of the verses written in Glenriddel Hermitage : tell me which of them you like best.

Thou whom Chance may hither lead,
Be thou clad in russet weed.
Be thou deckt in silken stole,
Grave these counsels on thy soul.
Life is but a day at most,
Sprung from night, in darkness lost ;
Hope not sunshine every hour,
Fear not clouds will always lour.
When Youth & Love with sprightly
dance,
Beneath thy morning-star advance,
Pleasure with her siren-air
May delude the thoughtless Pair :

Let Prudence bless Enjoyment's cup,
Then raptur'd sip & sip it up.
As the Day grows warm & hegh,
Life's meridian flaming nigh,
Dost thou spurn the humble vale ?
Life's proud summits would'st thou
scale ?

Check thy climbing step elate,
Evils lurk in felon wait ;
Dangers, eagle-pinion'd, bold,
Soar around each cliffy hold ;
While chearful Peace with linnet-song,
Chants the lowly dells among.
When thy shades of Evening close,
Beckoning thee to long repose ;

There should be 29 lines more.

- 92 BURNS (ROBERT, *Poet*) A FREE SCOTCH BALLAD of five stanzas of six lines each, on a single leaf of foolscap paper, *bound in a limp morocco cover*, in the well-known large handwriting of Burns ; too free to print here, the freedom consisting in a dropped rhyme left to the imagination of the reader. The ballad begins :—

A BALLAD.

While prose-work and rhymes
Are hunted for crimes,
And things are—the devil knows how ;
Aware o' my rhymes.
In these kittle times,
The subject I chuse is, &c. &c. &c.
[*Multa desunt*].

- 93 BURNS (ROBERT, *Poet*) THE BRIGS OF AYR. A TRUE STORY,
INSCRIBED TO JOHN BALLANTINE, ESQ. AYR.

The entire Poem, as first printed in the Edinburgh edition of 1787, in the well-known handwriting of the poet, comprising about 240 lines, one of the longest and best of BURNS' POEMS, filling 7 full foolscap folio pages, *perfect and in good condition, being interleaved and bound by William Pratt, in red morocco extra, thin boards, and in a morocco pull-off case, very handsome, folio*

As a Memorial of Scotland's great Poet, nothing can exceed the interest of this beautiful volume. There cannot be the shadow of a doubt about its genuineness and authenticity. To all who know the Poet's peculiar handwriting the Manuscript speaks for itself. Altogether the Poem, the Poet, the Autograph Manuscript and the beautiful binding leave nothing to be desired. In coming years (and not far distant) we predict that, of all the many known relics of Burns, this volume will take a very high rank. "Scots wha ha' we' Wallace bled," "Auld Lang Syne," and the long Letter to Mrs. Dunlop of Dec. 15-25, 1793, recently sold by auction for £95, have all gone, with many other memorials of Burns, to America.

- 94 BURNS (ROBERT, *Poet*) THE ORDINATION.

A SCOTCH POEM BY RAB RHYMER.

This entire Poem of THE ORDINATION, written by Burns at Kilmarnock in his native Ayre, probably before he was twenty-five, comprises 14 nine-line stanzas, and is generally considered one of the Poet's most successful efforts

The "ORDINATION" first appeared in the Edinburgh edition of 1787, and has ever since maintained its interest. This manuscript is unquestionably autographic and genuine, but it is more closely written than usual, and is in a somewhat smaller character. Its authenticity cannot be doubted. It differs, however, in

many places from the earlier and later printed versions, and the various readings are numerous. Besides, the handwriting appears more youthful and less formed. Let the critic notice the heading and the name of "RAB RHYMER." Let him also notice that the motto in two lines at the beginning is not quoted as in the printed editions, but instead has as its author "*Ruisseau*," which is French for rivulets or burns, an ingenious way of signing his own name. Also in the seventh line let him see the name "*Crookes's*" afterwards altered to *Begbie's*, but above all let him scan the fourteenth line. "This day Mckin[lay] takes the flail." This line has generally been considered as giving the date to the poem, for that gentleman was *ordained* the 6th of April, 1786. Now the young man Mckinlay "took the flail" when he succeeded Multrie and became the colleague of Old Robertson one of the "two drones." The *ordination* therefore may have taken place after many months trial or use of the preacher's flail. Burns intimates, 17th Feb. 1786, that he had written this Poem on the Laigh Kirk of Kilmarnock. It might therefore have appeared in the Kilmarnock edition of that year. But it did not. It is not unlikely therefore that the present title is an afterthought, for the Edinburgh edition, to give it a less local and personal character. A better title would be the LAIGH KIRK. From all these circumstances one is forced to the conclusion that this is really an earlier Poem than has been hitherto supposed. In order that there may be no mistake in the readings, an exact transcript is given of the whole Poem. It is written on the four pages of a foolscap sheet of paper, and is neatly bound in limp red morocco extra by Pratt.

For SENSE they little owe to frugal HEAVEN
To please the MON they hide the little given.
Ruisseau [Fr. for Burns].

Kil ck wabsters fidge an' claw,
An' pour your creeshie nations ;
An' ye wha leather rax an' draw,
Of a' denominations ;
Swiath to the Laigh-kirk ane an' a'
An' there tak up your stations,
Then aff to Crookes's in a raw
An' pour divine libations

For joy this day.

Curst Common-sense, that imp o' h-ll,
Cam in wi' Maggy Lauder,*
But Ol . . . nt oft made her yell,
An' Russ . . ll sair miscan'd her ;
This day McKin . . . taks the flail
An' he's the boy 'll blaud her,
He'll clap a shangan on her tail
An' set the bairns to daud her

Wi' dirt this day.

Mak haste an' turn king David o'er
An' lilt wi' holy clangor,
O' double verse come gie us four
An' skirl up the BANGOR ;
This day the church kicks up a stoor,
Nae mair the knaves shall wrang her,
For heresy is in her power
An' gloriously she'll whang her

Wi' pith this day.

Come wale a text, a proper verse,
An' touch it off wi' vigor,
How HAM† leugh at his father's a—
Which made Canaan a niger;
How PHINEAS‡ did four buttocks pierce
Wi' whore-abhorring rigor ;
Or Zipporah§ wi' scauldin haerse
Was like a bloody tiger
I' th' inn that day.

* I suppose the Author [Rab Rhymer] here means Mrs Lindsay, wife to the late Revd. and worthy Mr Lindsay, as that was her maiden name I am told.

N. B.—He got the laigh kirk of Kil

† Genesis 9 ch. 22d v.

‡ Numb. 25 ch. 8 v.

§ Exod. 4 ch. 25 v.

There try his mettle on the creed

Formula an' confession

An' lay your hauns upon his head

An' seal his high commission

The holy flock to tent an' feed

An' punish each transgression,

Especial rams that cross the breed,

Gie them sufficient threshin,

Spare them nae day.

Now auld Kil ck cock thy tail

An' toss thy horns fu' cantie,

Nae mair thou'll rowt out owre the dale

Because thy pasture's scanty,

For lap-fows large o' gospel-kale

Shall fill thy crib in plenty,

An' runts o' grace the pick an' wale,

No gien by way o' dainty

But every day.

Nae mair by Babel-streams we'll weep

To think upon our Zion

An' hing our fiddles up to sleep

Like babie-clouts a-dryin ;

Come screw the pegs wi' tunefu' cheep

An' o'er the thairms be tryin ;

O rare, to see our elricks wheep

An' a like lamb-tails flyin

Fu' fast this day.

Lang PATRONAGE, wi' rod o' iron,

Has shor't the Kirk's undoin,

As lately Finw . . ck, sair forfairn,

Has proven to it's ruin ;

Our Patron, honest man Glen . . n,

He saw mishief was brewin,

An' like a godly, elect bairn

He wal't us out a true ane

An' sound this day.

Now Robin . . n harangue nae mair

But steek your gab for ever,

Or try the wicked town of A-r,

For there they'll think you clever

Or, nae reflexion on your lear,

Ye may commence a Shaver,

Or to the Netherl . . n repair

An' turn a Carpet-weaver

Aff haun this day.

Mutr . . an' you were just a match
 We never had sic twa drones,
 Auld HORNIE did the laigh kirk watch
 Just like a winkan baudrons,
 An' ay he catch't the tither wratch
 To fry them in his caudrons,
 But now his honor maun detach
 Wi' a' his brimstone squadrons
 In haste this day.

See, see auld Orthodoxy's faes
 She's swingin thro the city.
 Hark how the nine-tail't cat she plays,
 I vow it's unco pretty.
 There Learning wi' his Greekish face
 Grunts out some latin ditty,
 An' Common-Sense is gaun she says,
 To mak to JAMIE BEATIE
 Her plaint this day.

But there's Morality himsel
 Embracing a' opinions,
 Hear, how he gies the tither yell
 Between his twa companions!

See, how she peels the skin an' fell,
 As ane were peelan onions!
 Now there they're packed off to h-ll
 An' banish't our dominions
 Henceforth this day.
 O happy day!!! rejoice, rejoice!!!!
 Come bowze about the porter;
 Get up—whaevers fit to rise,
 An' thro the room let's thorter;
 Mckin . . . , Russ . . . , are the boys
 That Heresy can torture,
 They'll gie her on a raep a hoise
 An' cowe her measure shorter
 By the head some day.

Come bring the tither mutchkin in
 An' here's for a conclusion.
 To every New-light Mother's Son
 From this time forth confusion;
 If mair they deave us wi' their din,
 Or Patronage intrusion,
 We'll light a Spunk, an' every skin
 We'll rin them aff in fusion
 Like oil some day.

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755 Ruez de Leon. Another copy, *vellum* 4to. Madrid, 1755

756 RUMSEY (JAMES, of Berkeley County, Virginia) A SHORT TREATISE ON THE APPLICATION OF STEAM, whereby is clearly shewn, from Actual Experiments, that Steam may be applied to propel Boats or Vessels of any burthen against rapid currents with great velocity. The same principles are also introduced with effect by a machine of simple and cheap construction, for the purpose of raising water sufficient for the working of Grist-Mills, Saw-Mills, &c. and for watering meadows and other purposes of agriculture, 26 pp. *fine clean and UNCUT COPY, EXCESSIVELY RARE* 8vo. Philadelphia, Joseph James, 1788

This early American tract on Steam, Steam-boats and Steam-power is of great importance in the history of the use of steam as a propeller prior to Fulton or Watt. Rumsey had prepared his model boat in Virginia in 1784, and privately printed an account of it in 1785. This falling into the hands of John Fitch, of Connecticut, he published at Philadelphia in 1787 his "Original Steam-Boat supported, a reply to James Rumsey's Pamphlet." In this tract of Mr. Fitch he accuses Rumsey of false dates, &c., and claims priority of invention for himself. This brought out a reply by Joseph Barnes, of Philadelphia, formerly an assistant, and now Attorney in fact, to James Rumsey, entitled "Remarks on Mr. John Fitch's Reply to Mr. James Rumsey's Pamphlet, Phil. 1788." Mr. Barnes gives his affidavit sworn to under oath before Cato Moore, that in May, 1785, he was employed by Mr. Rumsey to build a boat in Potowmack River to be propelled by steam, and that he had built the boat. In Sept., 1784, Rumsey exhibited his model of a steam-boat to General Washington at Bath, in Virginia, who gave him a certificate. General Gates also saw the great experiment, Dec. 3, 1787, on Potowmack river, and certifies that James Rumsey's Steam Boat got on her way, with near half her burthen on board, and moved against the current at the rate of three miles per hour, by the force of steam without any external application whatever. Governor Johnson's certificate is even stronger of what he knew and saw between 1784 and Dec. 1787. This tract of Rumsey is dated Jan. 1, 1788. The three tracts of Rumsey, Fitch and Barnes are indispensable for the history of Steam.

757 Russell (Charles Theodore) The History of Princeton, Worcester County, Mass. From its First Settlement, with a sketch of the present religious controversy in that place, *title, introduction, etc.* viii and text 130 pp. 8vo. Boston: Henry P. Lewis, 1838

758 RUSSIA. The Resources of Russia, in the event of a War with France; and an Examination of the prevailing opinion relative to the Political and Military Conduct of the Court of St. Petersburg, with a short description of the Cozaks [By Mr. Eustaphieve, the intelligent Russian Consul at Boston] 52 pp. *uncut and scarce* 8vo. Boston: Munroe & Francis, 1812

759 RUYTER (M. A. DE) JOURNAEL, Ofte Dagh-Register, over de Reyse, Gedaen door de Heer Luytenant Admiraal M. A. de RUYTER. In de West-Indies. Door A. F. 8 pp. SCARCE, *calif extra, by F. Bedford* 4to. Amsterdam, Samuel Imbrechts, 1665

This rare, if not unique piece, contains a Journal of JAN VAN EYNDOVEN, who accompanied the Expedition, beginning in Oct. 1664, and ending in August, 1665. This is the identical copy described by Trömel under No. 332.

760 SACRO BOSCO (JOHANNES DE) NOVICHIS ADOLESCENTIBUS: Ad ASTRONOMICAM rempu. capessendā aditū impetratib': p breui rectoq; tramite a uulgarī uestigio semoto: IOANNIS DE SACRO BUSTO sphaericum opusculū GEORGIQUE PURBACHII 1 mot' planetarū accuratifs. theoricæ Necnōn contra Cremonensia in eorundē planetarū theoricās deliramēta IOANIS MONTE REGIO [John Müller] disputatiōes tā accuratiss. q̃ utiliss. dicatū opus utili serie contextū inchoat. [Colophon] *Impressum est hoc*

opusculum mira arte & diligentia ERHARDI RADOLT *Augustensis*. 1485. 4to form, with signatures 1 to 6 in eights, and 7 in ten leaves, roman type, with many woodcuts and diagrams, some coloured. A very fine large and clean copy with rough leaves. A scarce edition

761 SACRO BOSCO, another fine copy 4to. August. 1485

762 Saddi (Nathan Ben, *A Jew*) The Chronicles of the Kings of England, from William the Conqueror to the year 1795. In Imitation of the Holy Writings, 196 pp. old calf
12mo. Worcester, Mass. Isaiah Thomas, 1795

In this edition this Scripture history is brought down to include the American Revolution.

763 Sagra (Ramon de la) Historia Economico-Politica y Estadistica de la Isla de Cuba ó sea de sus progresos en la poblacion, la agricultura, el comercio y las rentas, calf gilt 4to. Habana, 1831

764 Sagra (Ramon de la) Notes sur les Produits Espagnols envoyés à L'Exposition de Londres 8vo. Londres: 1851

765 SAINT HELENA. KLARE BESGRYVING VAN'T EYLAND SANCT HELENA, Vervattende de Ondekking, Benaming, Gelegendheyt, &c. Hoedanigheden der Elementen, Bestandige-staffen, Gewassen, en Diren. Ende ook een Historisg-verhaal, Hoe 't by de Portugezen onderhouden wierde, med de bijzonderheden van dien, 24 pp. black letter, 2 copper plates, sound copy, but closely cut, vellum, SCARCE 4to. Amsterdam, Jodocus Hondius, 1652

766 Saint-Hilaire (Auguste de) Aperçu d'un Voyage dans l'Intérieur du Brésil, la Province Cisplatine et Missions dites du Paraguay. 74 pp. uncut 4to. Paris, A. Belin, 1803

767 Sagitarius's Letters and Political Speculations. Extracted from the Public Ledger. Humbly Inscribed to the very Loyal and truly Pious Doctor Samuel Cooper, Pastor of the Congregational Church in Brattle Street

8vo. Boston: Printed, by Order of the Select Men and sold at Donation Hall, for the benefit of the Distressed Patriots, 1775

A book of great and historical interest. This copy wants title and last four leaves. It contains only page 1 to 120, but it is so scarce and the matter so important that it is still well worth having. The title and a large part of the 23 long letters are satirical and severe upon some of the prominent men of Boston. It is always well to know what a thorough and intelligent tory antiquary who apparently knew everybody, and everything going on, could write and publish in Boston in 1775.

768 Salazar y Olarte (Ignacio de) Historia de la Conquista de Mexico, Poblacion y Progressos de la America Septentrional. Secunda Parte. Border of title defective, and corners of some leaves gnawed by a rat, but scarcely to the text, half bound, scarce fol. Cordoba, 1743
De Solis's work is here treated as Part I of this Book.

769 Salter (Richard, *Pastor of the First Church of Christ in Mansfield*) A Sermon, before the General Assembly of the Colony of Connecticut, at Hartford, on the Day of their Anniversary Election, May 12th, 1768, 42 pp. uncut, scarce 4to. New London: Timothy Green, 1768

770 Salter, another copy 4to.

771 Salvation for all Men, illustrated and vindicated as A Scripture Doctrine, in numerous extracts from a variety of pious and

learned men. Together with their answer to the objections urged against it. By One who wishes well to *all Mankind*, title and preface iii, and text 26 pp. scarce

8vo. Boston: T. & J. Fleet, 1782

The Preface is signed T. W., that is the Rev. Dr. Charles Chauncy, the eminent and venerable Pastor of the First Church in Boston.

772 Salvation, &c. Another copy 8vo.

773 Sandeman (Robert) Some Thoughts on Christianity. In a Letter to a Friend (*title damaged*) 54 pp. uncut. To which is annexed by way of illustration The Conversion of Jonathan the Jew as related by himself.

8vo. Boston, N.E. W. M'Alpine & J. Fleiming, 1764

This ambitious founder of the Sect of *Sandemanians*, born in Perth, 1718, educated at St. Andrews, Pastor of a congregation in London in 1762, emigrated to Boston in 1764, and the next year settled over a church in Danbury, in Connecticut, and from thence established several societies in New England resting on the *Sandeman* platform of *Faith* without *Holiness*. He answered Hervey's *Theron* and *Aspasio*, and wrote other books.

774 SARGENT (WINTHROP, *ex-Governor of the Mississippi Territory*) Papers in relation to the Official Conduct of Governour Sargent, *fine copy, scarce and uncut*, 64 pp.

8vo. Boston, Thomas & Andrews, 1801

Important documents for the history of Mississippi Territory, and the South West generally.

775 SCALES (William, *who wishes the Prosperity of Truth*) The CONFUSION OF BABEL DISCOVERED; or, An Answer to JEREMY BELKNAP'S Discourse upon the Lawfulness of War; or Military Duty. 87 pp. *fine copy, uncut, very rare*

8vo. America printed, for the information of the publick, 1780

This author places eight years after publication Dr. Jeremy Belknap and his Discourse on Military Duty, in his own Scales, and, weighing, tosses them to the left as wanting, with all the coolness of the weighing machine at the Bank, believing, as he says of the learned historian of New Hampshire, that "through inattention to the teachings of God, he got lost in the fog of Antichrist." The book is a philological curiosity, and the author is manifestly in a denser fog than Belknap. Read his Introduction and take note of the words he has coined expressive of the tricks of deceivers.

776 Schermerhorn (John F.) and Mills (Samuel J.) A Correct View of that part of the United States which lies West of the Allegany Mountains, with regard to religion and morals, 52 pp. uncut 8vo. Hartford: Peter B. Gleason and Co. 1814

In 1812 these gentlemen were sent to the West and South West by the Missionary Societies of Massachusetts and Connecticut to report on the State of Religion and Morals in those districts. They reported to the Connecticut Society in this tract, upon West Pennsylvania and Allegany, Ohio, New Connecticut, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri Territories, Louisiana, &c. with many interesting statements and numerous important statistics.

777 Schermerhorn. Another copy

778 Schlegel (J. F. W.) Neutral Rights; or, an impartial examination of the right of search of neutral vessels under convoy, and of a Judgment pronounced by the English Court of Admiralty, the 11th June, 1799, in the Case of the Swedish Convoy; Translated from the French, *uncut, title and* 162 pp. *half green roan* 8vo. Philadelphia: Aurora Office, 1801

- 779 Schoettgenius (Christianus) De Originibus Russicis, Dissertationes septem, 16, 8, 16, 16, 8, 14, and 16 pages, calf gilt, by Pratt, very scarce 4to. *Dresdae & Lipsiae*, 1731

The Seven Dissertations on the Origin of the Russians were delivered at Dresden, between the 22nd Feb. 1729 and the 5th of October, 1731, having been written in 5 Sections (Section iii in 3 parts).

- 780 SCHOUTEN VAN HOORN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) IOURNAEL / ofte / Beschrijvinghe van de / wonderlicke reyse, gedaen door VVillem / Cornelisz. Schouten van Hoorn, inde Jaren / 1615, 1616, en 1617. / Hoe hy bezuyden de Straet van Magellanes een / nieuwe Passagie tot inde groote Zuyd-zee ontdeekt, en voorte den / gheheelen Aerdt-kloot om gheseylt heeft. / VVat Eylanden, vreemde Volcken en vvonderlijcke / avontueren hem ontmoet zijn. / [vignette] Tot Arnhem, / By Ian Iansz. Boeck-verkooper. Anno 1618. / viii and 92 pages, black letter, with the usual 9 maps and plates, and Wm. Janson's Map of the World, dated 1606. Very fine copy, every way perfect, clean, large, and with many rough leaves, vellum, an edition of EXCESSIVE RARITY 4to.

This was the late Mr. Frederik Muller's copy, the identical one described by P. A. Tiele in his '*Journaux des Navigateurs Néerlandais*,' under No. 34, page 43. Mr. Muller ranked this edition, for some reason not fully explained, as the *second* instead of the *first*. This and the Amsterdam edition of the same year are equally rare, and both bear the name of Willem Jansz [Blauw] at the end of the dedication, with the date of 25 Sept. 1618. The Amst. edition has the name of Willem Jansz. in the imprint while this has Ian Iansz, probably his father. Both editions have in some few copies known the old map of the world by Willem Jansz. dated 1606, but with the addition of *Terra del Fuego* and *Eretum le Maire*, so named in 1616. This edition, be it the first or second, is not in the British Museum, and it is difficult to find materials to settle the doubt. The expedition of Schouten and Le Maire was so important, and the work so suggestive of new geographical notions, that there were no less than six editions in Dutch and French the first year 1618, and as many in 1619, including the two separate ones in Latin. It appeared in 1619, also in German in part xvi of Hulsius, and part xi of De Bry's *America*, both Latin and German.

- 781 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) IOVRNAL / Ou / DESCRIPTION / du merveilleux voyage de Gvilliamme / Schovten, Hollandois natif de Hoorn, / fait es années 1615, 1616 & 1617. / Comme (en circumnavigeant le globe terrestre) il a desouvert / vers le Zud du destroit de Magellan un nouveau passage, / jusques à la grande Mer de Zud. / Ensemble, / Des aventures admirables qui luy sont advenues en / decouvrant de plusieurs Isles, & peuples estranges. / [Vignette], A Amsterdam, / Chez Guillaume Ianson, l'an 1618. / viii and 88 pages, complete with all the nine maps and plates, fine, large and clean copy, vellum 4to.

There were two issues of this First Edition in French in 1618, both by Guillaume Ianson in Amsterdam, differing only in the titles and prefaces. They are both in the Lenox Library of New York, but Mr. Muller appears not to have seen either of them when he published his valuable book, edited by Tiele in 1867. Which of the two issues is prior it is difficult to say.

- 782 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) DIARIVM VEL DESCRIPTIO laborissisimi, & Molestissimi Jtineris, facti à Gvlielmo Cornelii Schovtenio, Hornano. Annis 1615, 1616 & 1617. Cum à parte Australi freti Magellanici, novum dictum, aut fretum, in Magnum Mare Australe detexit, totumq Orbem terrarum circumnavigavit. Quas Insulas, & regiones, & populos viderit, &

quæ pericula subierit. 4 *prel. leaves and 71 [79] pages, with the nine maps and plates. Very fine large clean and perfect copy, with rough leaves, a scarce edition*

4to. *Amsterdami, Apud Petrum Kœrium, Ao. 1619*

There were two Latin editions this same year, both with full text and like number of maps and plates, but the translations are different, the one edition by Wm. Janson (Blauw) and the other by Van der Keere. Blauw's Dedication is to both versions. It is difficult to say definitely which edition is prior, though Mr. Muller gives that honour to Blauw's, why we know not. He, however, is certainly mistaken about the mixed plates. Van der Keere was an engraver, and publisher. This copy was in its original state and had no plates with the French text on the versos.

783 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *Journal ou Description dv merveillevx Voyage, 1615-1617, etc. etc. [as above], viii and 88 pages, fine large clean and perfect copy, with all the nine maps and plates, vellum*

4to. *A Amstredam, chez Harman Ianson, 1619*

This very early edition in French was believed by the late Mr. Muller, who, however, had never seen it when he wrote, to be the same with a different title, as the edition of the same date bearing the name of *Pierre du Keere* (see his No. 42). He refers to a copy possessed by the late Mr. Jacob of the Hague, but without settling the questions of identity or priority.

784 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *BESCHREIBUNG DER WUNDERBAREN REISE Wilhelm Schouten ausz Hollandt, in Jahr 1615. 16. vnd 17. Darinnen er eine neuwe Durchfahrt neben dem Freto Magellanico, etc. etc. 90 pp. fine copy, clean, with all the four maps and nine plates*

4to. *Gedruckt zu Franckfurt am Mayn, durch Nicolaum Hoffmann, Sumptibus Hulsianis. Im Jahr, 1619*

This forms the 16th Part of the Collection of Voyages and Travels of Levinus HULSIUS, and is a book of extraordinary rarity, see lot 274.

785 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *JOURNAEL ofte Beschrijvinghe van de wonderlijcke Reyse, gedien door Willem Cornelisz. Schouten van Hoorn, inde Jaren 1615, 1616 en 1617, etc. etc. Desen laetsten Druck verbeteret, en uyt eenige geschreven Journalen, van Aris Claessz. en andere, gehouden op de selfde Reyse, merklijck vermeerdert, 56 pp. fine, large and clean copy, vellum*

4to. *Tot Hoorn, Gedruckt by Isaac Willemsz. Voor Ian Iansz. Deutel, 1648*

The editor in this edition takes a new departure. In a preface to the reader on the back of the title he intimates that, of the twenty editions of this celebrated Voyage round the World the more recent ones were rather a disgrace than a monument to the town of Hoorn, by reason of the bad paper, print and illustrations. He proposes to remedy this by giving good paper and plates, and by revising and adding to the text by means of other manuscript journals kept by those on the same Voyage, viz. Le Maire and Aris Claesz. In this way he has revised and added to the text, and re-engraved or retouched the maps and plates, and printed all in good style on good paper. Mr. Muller under his No. 52 traces the plates to their origin. A flying fish and some coast lines are added in coarse woodcuts in the text. At the end in pages 53—56 is for the first time added a *Vocabulaer ofte Tale van de Eylanden* which is a list of common words of the several islands, explained in Dutch. The Islands so noticed are, the *Salomon* Islands, the *Cocos* Island, New Guinea, *Moyes & Moo* Islands. The maps and plates are numbered from 2 to 9. No. 1 (Map of the World) is not in this copy, nor have we ever been able to see it in this edition, though called for in the register. Mr. Muller also confesses to his never having met with it. We have seen it supplied from other editions.

- 786 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *Oost-en-West-Indische Voyagie, Door de Strate Magallanes naer de Moluques, met ses Schepen onder den Commandeur IORIS SPILBERGEN. Als mede De Wonderlijcke Reyse ghedaen door WILLEM CORNELISZ SCHOUTEN van Hoorn, en IACOB LE MAIRE, en den Jaere, 1615, 1616, 1617, etc. etc.* 120 pp. *fine, large and clean copy*
4to. *† Amstelredam, voor Joost Hartgerts, 1648*

This volume contains the Second Voyage of Joris SPILBERGEN, and the Voyage of SCHOUTEN and Le Maire; the first extending to page 65, the second, with a new title, begins with page 66 and extends to the top of page 117; the rest of that page to page 120 is filled up by questions and answers on Navigation. There is one folded plate of the size of two leaves, divided into six compartments, three relating to Spilbergen's Voyage, and the other three to Schouten's and Le Maire's. The jealousies and petty squabbles of the partisans of these two celebrated expeditions are perhaps better hinted at here than any where previously.

- 787 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *Journael, etc. etc.* 1615-17, 48 pp. *black letter, in two columns, fine clean and large copy*
4to. *† Amsterdam, Gedrukt by Gillis Joosten Saeghman [1660 ?]*

On the back of the title is a copperplate portrait, called *Willem Cornelisz Schouten*, with a woodcut border, an ingenious bit of printing. In the text are six illustrations—three of which are copperplate and three woodcuts—but all with type-metal borders. The Vocabulary at the end is somewhat abridged so as to occupy only two pages. This edition has been used as a model for the text of several subsequent editions.

- 788 SCHOUTEN (WILLEM CORNELISZ) *Journael ofte Beschrijvinge van de Wonderlijcke Reyse, etc. etc.* 56 pp. *good clean copy, vellum* 4to. *† Amsterdam, Gedrukt by Ian Jacobsz Bouman, 1661*

This is a reprint of the Hoorn edition of 1648 [see lot 785] the preface to the Reader on the back of the title, the additions, vocabulary, &c.; but there are only six maps and plates and these are all engraved on wood. A list of them is found in page 52.

- 789 SCHOUTEN (Willem Cornelisz) *Journaal van de Wonderlijcke Reyse, &c. &c.* 1615-1617. 48 pp. *black letter, double columns, fine copy, vellum* 4to. *Tot Amsterdam, by Joannes Kannevet, 1766*

With six coarse woodcuts, one on the title and five in the text. What some of them represent it would be difficult to say. The vocabulary is considerably abridged.

- 790 Seabury (Samuel, *Bishop of Connecticut*) *A Sermon before the Boston Episcopal Charitable Society, in Trinity Church; at their Anniversary Meeting, March 25, 1788. [With an Appendix, containing an account of the origin of the Boston Episcopal Charitable Society], 24 and 6 pp.*
8vo. *Boston: T. and J. Fleet, 1788*

- 791 Searl (John, *Pastor of the Church in Stoneham*) *Revelation, a Guide to Reason: or, the Word of God our Supreme Rule in Religion. A Sermon at the Ordination of the Rev. Mr. Stephen Peabody, to the Pastoral Care of the Church in Atkinson, Nov. 25, 1772, 35 pp. uncut* 8vo. *Boston, N.E. T. and J. Fleet, 1773*

- 792 Sears (Freeman) *An Oration on the Nature and Perpetuity of American Independence pronounced at Natick, July 4, 1809. Before the 5th Regiment of the 1st Brigade, and third Division of the Militia. 18 pp. uncut*

8vo. *Dedham: H. Mann, July, 1809*

- 793 Seaver (William) *A Historical Sketch of the Village of Batavia [the oldest Village West of Genessee River, in the State of New York]. 56 pp.* 8vo. *Batavia: W. Seaver & Son, 1849*

- 794 Serious Considerations on several Important Subjects ; viz. On War and its Inconsistency with the Gospel. Observations on Slavery. And Remarks on the Nature and bad Effects of Spirituous Liquors, 48 pp.
12mo. Philadelphia : Joseph Crukshank, 1778
- 795 SEWALL (Joseph, D.D. *Pastor of a Church in Boston*) Christ Victorious over the Powers of Darkness, by the light of His preached Gospel. A Sermon preached in Boston, Dec. 12, 1733. At the Ordination of the Rev. Mr. Stephen Parker, Mr. Ebenezer Hinsdell, and Mr. Joseph Seccombe, Chosen by the Commissioners to the Hon. Society for Propagating Christian Knowledge at Edinburgh, to carry the Gospel to the ABORIGINAL NATIVES on the Borders of NEW ENGLAND. With a brief Account of the Hon. Society, &c. Charge by Rev. Dr. Coleman. And Right-hand of fellowship given by Rev. Mr. Prince. *Title and Dedication, viii, and Text 46 pp.* SCARCE
8vo. Boston printed, Edinburgh Reprinted, R. Fleming, 1734
- 796 Sewall (Joseph, *Pastor of a Church in Boston*) Nineveh's Repentance and Deliverance. A Sermon before the Governour, Council and Representatives of the Province of Massachusetts-Bay in New-England, on a Day of Fasting and Prayer in the Council Chamber, Dec. 3, 1740. *Title and Introduction iv, and Text 33 pp.*
8vo. Boston in New England ; J. Draper for D. Henchman, 1740
- "In view of the pressing Difficulties which have long attended, and do still attend, the public affairs of the Province of Massachusetts-Bay, 'and are likely to increase upon us,' the House of Representatives and the Council, on the 29th Nov. 1740, voted that the Governor should appoint a day for fasting and prayer. Gov. Belcher appointed Dec. 3 for the Solemnity in the Council Chamber. The Rev. Dr. Sewall preached Nineveh's Repentance and fervently pointed out to the General Court by way of Deliverance the abuse of *Taverns* and the want of a suitable circulating medium of Trade, that is, he recommended them to look to their '*Bills of Public Credit*,' so that the people might strike a fair balance in their private and mercantile affairs ; '*for a false Balance is abomination to the Lord.*'"
- 797 Sewall (Joseph, *Pastor of a Church in Boston*) All Flesh is as Grass ; but the Word of the Lord endureth for ever. A Sermon Preached at the Thursday Lecture in Boston, January 1st, 1740, 1. *Title and 24 pp. cut*
8vo. Boston : S. Kneeland and T. Green, 1741
- 798 Sewall. Another copy
- 799 Sewall (Joseph, *one of the Pastors of the South Church, Boston*) The Thirsty invited to come, and take the Waters of Life freely. A Sermon preached on the Friday Evening-Lecture at the South Meeting-House in Boston, March 5, 1741, 2, 24 pp.
8vo. Boston, Rogers and Fowle, 1742
- 800 Sewall (Joseph, *one of the Pastors of the South Church, Boston*) God's People must Enquire of Him to bestow the Blessings promised in his Word. A Sermon preach'd February 26, 1741, 2. On a Day of Prayer observed by the South Church and Congregation in Boston to seek of God the more Plentiful Effusion of His Holy Spirit upon them and His People, 30 pp.
8vo. Boston, D. Fowle for D. Henchman, 1742
- 801 SEWALL (SAMUEL, *sometime Fellow of Harvard College*) PHŒNOMENA QUÆDAM APOCALYPTICA Ad Aspectum Novi Orbis con-

figunata. Or, Some few Lines towards a description of the New Heauen as it makes to those who stand upon the New Earth, the Second Edition, *portrait and table of Pedigree inserted. Title and Dedication viii and Text, 64 pages (wanting page 33-36 [At End].* The Fountain Opened: or the Conversion of the Jews, by Samuel Willard, the Third Edition, pages 1 to 20, *wanting all after*

4to. *Massachuset ; Boston, Bartholomew Green, 1727*

With the exception of Nathaniel Morton's New England's Memorial, this book written in 1697 is perhaps the most important historical work written and printed in New England prior to Prince's Annals of 1736.

- 802 Sewall (Stephen, A.M. *Hancock Professor of the Hebrew and other Oriental Languages*) An Oration delivered May viii, 1779, at the Funeral of the Hon. John Winthrop, Esq. LL.D. F.R.S. Hollisian Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy at Cambridge in the State of Massachusetts-Bay, 8 pp. *uncut, very SCARCE* 4to. *Boston : T. and J. Fleet, 1779*
- 803 Sharp (Daniel, *Pastor of the Third Baptist Church in Boston*) A Discourse, before Wm. Eustis, Governor of the Council and the Legislature, &c. of Massachusetts, May 26th, 1824, the Anniversary Election, Second Edition [Political and historical] 24 pp. *uncut* 8vo. *Boston : By Order of the Legislature, 1824*
- 804 Sharp (Granville) A General Plan for laying out Towns and Townships on the new-acquired lands in the East Indies, America, or elsewhere, 24 pp. *uncut* 8vo. *n. p. 1794*
- 805 Shaw (John, *Pastor in Bridgewater, N.E.*) The Character of a Pastor. A Sermon preached in Braintree, at the Ordination of the Rev. Mr. Moses Taft, August 26, 1752. *Title and 35 pp. half calf* 12mo. *Boston : N.E., S. Kneeland, 1753*
- 806 Shaw (Oakes, *Pastor of the West Church in Barnstable*) A Sermon preach'd in Marshfield first Parish, April 2, 1766. At the Ordination of the Rev. Mr. William Shaw, 36 pp. 8vo. *Boston : Edes and Gill, 1766*
- 807 Shepard (Samuel, *Cong. Minister of Lenox*) A Sermon before Governor Strong, the House of Representatives of Massachusetts, on the Anniversary Election [political, historical, and foreign and domestic Affairs], May 28, 1806, *uncut, 31 pp.* 8vo. *Boston : Young and Minns, 1806*
- 808 Shepard. Another copy
- 809 Shepard (Thomas, *Preacher in N. E.*) The Sound Believer; or a Treatise of Evangelical Conversion. *Title, Dedication, and 308 pp. old calf* 24mo. *Glasgow, Alex. Carmichael, 1734*
- 810 Shepard (Thomas, *Minister of Cambridge, N.E.*) The Autobiography. With additional notices of his life and Character. By Nehemiah Adams, 129 pp. *cloth* 12mo. *Boston : Pierce and Parker, 1832*
- 811 SHERWOOD (Samuel) The Church's Flight into the Wilderness: an Address on the Times. Containing some very interesting Observations on Scripture Prophecies: Shewing that sundry of them plainly relate to Great Britain, and the AMERICAN COLONIES: Delivered on a Public Occasion, January 17, 1776, 54 pp. *SCARCE* 8vo. *New York : S. Loudon, 1776*

- 812 Shipley (Jonathan, *Bishop of St. Asaph*) A Speech intended to have been spoken on the Bill for Altering the Charter of the Colony of Massachusetts-Bay. *London, Printed: 12 pages in double columns. 8vo. Boston, N.E. Re-printed, and sold for 6 coppers, that every North-American may be possessed of so valuable a pamphlet for a small expense, at Greenleaf's Printing Office [1774]*
- 813 Shipley (Jonathan, *Bishop of St. Asaph*) A Speech intended to have been spoken on the Bill for altering the Charters of the Colony of Massachusetts-Bay. *16 pp. a scarce edition 8vo. Salem: Reprinted by S. and E. Hall [1774]*
- 814 Shipley (Jonathan, *Bishop of St. Asaph*) A Sermon before the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, February 19, 1773, *19 pp. scarce edition 8vo. London, Printed, Norwich [Conn.], re-printed by Green & Spooner [1773]*
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This important manuscript was edited by Henry Stevens, and privately printed for him at the Chiswick Press in 1854 from the original, then in his possession. It is dated the first of July, 1541. Las Casas and others had complained much of the ill-treatment and slavery of the Indians by the Spaniards in America, until finally Charles V referred the grand question to the Faculty of the University of Salamanca, whether Indians who had been baptized could be made slaves? This curious document is the official answer, signed by the Dean and all the Faculty. The volume has a long explanatory dedication in English to Sir Thomas Phillipps.

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- 1038 VANDALIA (*The proposed New Colony on the south side of the Ohio*) To the King's most excellent Majesty in Council. The MEMORIAL of the Hon. Thos. Walpole in behalf of himself and the Earl of Hertford, Earl Temple, Lord Camden, Richard Walpole, Robert Walpole, Sir H. Featherstonhaugh, Sir G. Colebrook, T. Pitt, R. Jackson, John Sargent and Samuel

Wharton, and their Associates, relative to the Grant of Land on the Ohio, 16 pp. *private document of great historical value, half bound* 4to. [London, 1774]

After stating their several applications, correspondence, answers, promises and expectations, between the 5th of Nov. 1768 and the 8th of August 1774; after defining their boundaries of a little piece of wild land about as big as Vermont this remarkable Petition concludes with "Your Petitioners, therefore, most humbly pray your Majesty, that the establishment of the government of the said new colony of VANDALIA, may be no longer delayed; and that the grant to your Memorialists of the lands agreed for, may be expedited. Thomas Walpole, London, Aug. 8, 1774."

- 1039 VAN DEN BROECK (PIETER) WONDERLIJCKE HISTORISCHE ende JOURNAELSCHE aenteyckeningh, van't ghene P. van den Broecke, op sijne Reysen, soo van Cabo Verde, Angola, Guinea, Oost-Indien: Waer in hem, soo in Schip-breuck, als in't door-reysen van't Landt, seer veel vreemde dingen ontmoet zyn, see van Religie, Manieren, Zeeden, en Huys-houdingen der volkeren: *etc. etc.* 112 pp.: *fine, clean and large copy, black letter, wanting the folding copperplate in six compartments* 4to. *t'Amstelredam, voor Joost Hartgerts, 1648*

These Journals of the several voyages of Van den Broeck, covering a period of a quarter of a century, from 1605 to 1630, are valuable materials of the history of the Dutch in the East Indies. Van den Broeck himself played important parts in establishing and maintaining the Dutch foothold in the East. He fell at the siege of Malacca in Dec. 1640.

- 1040 VAN DEN BROECK (PIETER) Vyf verscheyde Journalen van PIETER van den BROECK, Gehouden op zyne Reysen, na Cabo-Verde, Angola en Guinea, doch voornamentlijk na Oost-Indien, waer in hem, soo in Schip-breuck, als in 't door-reysen, van't Landt seer veel vreemde dingen ontmoet zyn; *etc.* 112 pp. *fine large and clean copy, unbound, with fine portrait of van den Broeck on the back of the title, and 5 copper plates in the text, with 18 woodcuts, black letter, scarce* 4to. *t'Amsterdam, By Gillis Joosten Saeghman [1660?]*

Van den Broeck's account of his five voyages to the East, covering a period of a quarter of a century, 1605 to 1630, are most interesting, and he is credited by Dutch writers with much influence in developing the interest of Hollanders in the Indies.

- 1041 VANDER HAGEN (STEVEN) JOURNAEL van de Voyagie, Gedaen met twaelf Scheepen naer Oost-Indien, onder't beleydt van den Heer Admiraal S. Van der Hagen, Waer in verhaelt wordt het veroveren der Portugeesche Forten op Amboyna en Tydoor. Mitsgaders de Reyse van't Schip Delft van Bantam naer de Kust van Choromandel, *etc. etc.* 64 pp. *fine clean copy, black letter, double columns, with copperplates and woodcuts in the text* 4to. *t'Amsterdam, by Gillis Joosten Saeghman [1660?]*

This is Admiral Vander Hagen's Second Voyage to the East Indies made in 1603-1606, together with Paul van Solt's account of the Voyage of the *Delft* to Choromandel in 1605-1608. Tiele in his *Memoire Bibliographique* throws doubt upon the portrait of Vander Hagen, and accuses the publisher of some flagrant dishonesty in the compilation.

- 1042 VASSALLI (Francesco) Lo Scoprimiento dell' AMERICA. Saggio Accademico da tenersi dagli alunni del Ven. Seminario di Ancona e dagli scolari di retorica della stessa citta' il di' 21. Agosto 1795. 16 pp. *half French red morocco by Pratt, fine copy, very SCARCE* large 4to. *Ancona dalla Tipografia Sartoriana, 1795*

- 1043 VAUGHAN (*Sir WILLIAM*) THE GOLDEN FLEECE Diuided into three Parts, Vnder which are discovered the Errours of Religion, the Vices and Decayes of the Kingdome, and lastly the wayes to get wealth, and to restore Trading so much complayned of. Transported from Cambrioll Colchos, out of the Southermost Part of the Iland, commonly called the NEW-FOVNDLAND, by Orpheus junior [*Sir William Vaughan*] 14 *prelim. leaves* ; Text 1st Part 150 *pp. the last page blank* ; 2nd Part 106 *pp. the last blank* ; 3d Part 96 *pp.* The rare map of Newfoundland in admirable facsimile, morocco extra, *g. e. by Pratt in 1859*
4to. London, Francis Williams, 1626
- 1044 VEER (*GERRET de*) DIARIVM NAVTICVM, seu Vera Descriptio Trium Navigationum admirandarum, & nunquam auditarum, tribus continuis annis factarum, à Hollandicis & Zelandicis navibus, ad Septentrionem, supra Norvagian, Moscoviam & Tartariam, versus Catthay & Sinarum regna: tum ut detecta fuerint Weygat fretum, Nova Zembla, & Regio sub 80. gradu sita, quam Groenladiam esse censent, quam nullus unquam adjit: Deinde de feris & trucibus vrsis, alijsque monstris marinis, & intolerabili frigore quod pertulerunt. Quemadmodum præterea in postrema Navigatione navis in glacie fuerit concreta, & ipsi nautæ in Nova Zembla sub 76. gradu sita, domum fabricarint, atque in ea per 10. mensium spatium habitarint, & tandem, relictâ navi in glacie, plura quam 380. millia per mare in apertis parvis linitibus navigarint, cum summis periculis, immensis laboribus & incredibilibus difficultatibus. 43 *foliod leaves, FIRST Latin edition, very fine copy with numerous maps and plates in the text*
folio. Amstelredami, Ex Officina Cornelij Nicolaij, 1598
- 1045 VEER (*GERRET de*) Tre Navigationi, fatte dagli Olandesi e Zelandesi, al Settentrione nella Norvegia, Moscovia, e Tartaria, verso il Catai e Regno di Sini doue scoperso il Mare di Veygat la Nuova Zembla, et un Paese nell Ottantesimo grado creduto la Groenlandia, *maps and curious plates, 4 prel. leaves, text 80 pp. with maps and plates in the text*
4to. Venetia, Jeronimo Porro & Co. 1599
- 1046 VEER (*GERRIT de*) Vraye description de Trois Voyages de Mer tres admirables, faicts en trois ans, a chacvn an vn, par les Navires d'Hollande et Zelande, av Nord par derriere Norwege, et Tartarie, vers les Royavmes de China & Catay: ensemble les decouvremens du Waaygat, Nova Sembla, & du pays situé souz la hauteur de 80. degrez; lequel on presume estre Groenlande, ou oncques personne n'a esté. Plus des Ours cruels & ravissans, & autres monstres marins: & la froidure insupportable. D'avantage comment a la derniere fois la navire fut arrestée par la glace, & les matelots ont basti vne maison sur le pays de Nova Sembla, situé soubz la hauteur de 76. degrez, ou ils ont demouré l'espace de dix mois: & comment ils ont en petites, barques passé la mer, bien 350. lieues d'eaue; non sans peril a grand travail, & difficultez incroyables, 44 *foliod leaves, the 2d edition in French, fine original copy in old vellum, with the numerous maps and plates in the text*
folio. Amstelredam, Cornille Nicolas, Anno M. VI^c [1600]

- 1047 VEER (GERRET DE) Vraye Description de Trois Voyages de Mer par derriere Norwege, et Tartarie, vers les Royaumes de China & Catay : *etc. etc.* 44 foliod leaves, with text and plates, every way like the last, second French edition, except the date folio. Amstelredam par Cornille Nicolas, M.VI^c.III. [1604]

This date is genuine, but we have met with it in no other copy. It may be called the 2d edition, 2d issue.

- 1048 VEER (GERRET DE) VRAYE DESCRIPTION de trois Voyages de mer tres Admirables, faits en trois ans, a chacvn an vn, par les Navires d'Hollande et Zelande, av Nord par derriere Norwege, Moscovie, et Tartarie, vers les Royaumes de China & Catay : *etc. etc.* 44 foliod leaves, with many maps and plates in the text, fine perfect copy of this third edition in French folio. Amsterdam, chez Cornille Nicolas, L'An 1609

- 1049 VEER (GERRET DE) VERHAEL VAN DE EERSTE SCHIP-VAERT der Hollandische ende Zeeusche Schepen door't Way-Gat, By Noorden Noorwegen, Moscovien ende Tartarien, om, na de Coninckrijcken Cathay ende China. Met drie Schepen uyt Texel gezeylt in den Iare, 1594, &c. &c. title and 56 pages, fine copy, vellum 4to. T'Amsterdam, Voor Ioost Haertgers, 1648

- 1050 VEITIA LINAGE (Joseph de) Norte de la Contratacion de las Indias Occidentales. Fine copy in calf extra, with both titles folio. Sevilla, 1672

This is the best book on the Spanish Rules of Trade to the West Indies and America we have. The translation of it by Capt. John Stevens published in English about 1700, purporting to be complete, is only an abridgment, but it has now become of prime importance for indicating the source of many errors that have crept into the English History of Spanish affairs in America. This original work should now cast Stevens' abstract and all its faults into the shade.

- 1051 Venegas (Miguel) A Natural and Civil History of California : 2 vol. map, plates, Vol. I, front. title, preface and contents (xx), text 455 pp. Vol. II, front, title and contents (VIII), text 387 pp. fine copy, old calf 8vo. London, 1759

- 1052 VERMONT. The Constitution of the State of Vermont, as established by the General Convention elected for that purpose and held at Windsor, July 2nd, 1777, and continued by adjournment to Dec. 25, 1777, 24 pp. half bound, fine copy, very scarce 8vo. Hartford : Watson and Goodwin [1778]

- 1053 Vermont State Papers ; being a Collection of Records and Documents, . . . of Vermont ; With the Early Journals of the General Assembly, and the Laws from the year 1779 to 1786 inclusive, &c. By William Slade. 567 pp. sheep 8vo. Middlebury : J. W. Copeland, 1823

- 1054 VIETOR (JOANNES DANIEL) DISPUTATIO HISTORIA Secunda, de America & quidem de Origine gentium ejusdem, *etc.* not numbered. 27 leaves. Blue calf extra, by Pratt, scarce 4to. Jenæ, 1670

This book, after the Dedication and Preface, is divided into two chapters. 1st, Whether the Ancients had any knowledge of the Countries discovered by the Moderns ; and 2d, Upon the Origin of the Americans.

1055 VIRGINIA. THE ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT RECORDS OR ENTRY BOOKS OF THE COLONY OF VIRGINIA for five years, 1752-1757, during the Administration of Lt. Governor ROBERT DINWIDDIE, containing upwards of 950 separate documents and letters in 630 large and closely written folio pages comprising above 6,300 folios, enough to fill if printed (and every scrap should be printed) 3 large octavo volumes, the size of Sparks's Franklin; including upwards of SIXTY letters (many confidential and of great historical importance) from the 'Old Governor' to his youthful Friend GEORGE WASHINGTON, the 'Widow's Son;' and no less than EIGHTEEN LONG AND ORIGINAL AUTOGRAPH LETTERS OF WASHINGTON TO GOVERNOR DINWIDDIE, AMONG THE EARLIEST KNOWN FROM HIS PEN, written between March 9, 1754, and May 2, 1756, when he was but 22 to 25 years of age *folio.* 1752-1758

These original and private Records of the Governor of Virginia were among his own papers brought to England early in 1758. What became of the Colony's Records of this period is not known. From the Colonial Calendar lately published at Richmond they do not appear to exist in Virginia; and only a very small proportion of them is preserved in the Public Record Office in London. These volumes therefore fill the hiatus in the Virginia Archives which so much distressed Chief Justice Marshall, Henning and others. They are of the highest historical value, comprising as they do, the Governor's Letter-Books, Correspondence, Speeches and Messages to and from the House of Burgesses, Charges to the Grand Jury, *etc.* during the most eventful period of Virginian History, the quinquennial that brought out WASHINGTON and the many other Virginia officers, patriots and statesmen, schooled them in the 'Old French War' of 1753-1760, and drilled them for the Union of the Colonies, and the Struggle for National Independence twenty years later. No historian has hitherto given us anything like a trustworthy account of the pioneering operations of Virginia, her marvellous energy in protecting the Western frontiers and arousing the neighbouring Colonies from their 'lethargic supineness' for two or three years before and for some months after BRADDOCK'S DEFEAT, the 9th July, 1755. The story is fully told in these Virginia Papers. Dinwiddie and Virginia, from very dearth of materials, have hitherto by historians been unjustly shunted, misrepresented and set aside in favor of other colonies, other leaders, and other campaigns. Dinwiddie, however, sooner or later must stand forth on the page of history as the honoured and enterprising champion of the Old Dominion, the promoter of the Union of the Colonies, the patron and firm friend of young GEORGE WASHINGTON, and the prime mover against the French and their encroachments on the Ohio and elsewhere. A new chapter of Virginia's history drawn from these Papers (long lost but authentic materials), must eventually raise 'the Mother of Presidents' to her high and true rank among the Original Thirteen Colonies.

We trust that the quick-eyed historian will perceive by the following very brief analysis of them, that these papers will restore Dinwiddie to his proper niche, and enable Virginia to resume her Colonial leadership; for they are to the modern history of that Colony what the old Records of the Virginia Company of 1607-1624, now preserved in the Library of Congress, are to the 'Old Virginia' of Smith, Dale, Gates, Delaware and Yeardly. Those are corner stones of Colonial history. These are the foundations of the story of the American Republic. The Records then should go back to Old Virginia; but they would not be out of place by the side of the Declaration of Independence and the 257 volumes of Washington's writings in the Department of State; or the Record Books of the Virginia Company in the Congress Library; or by Houdon's Statue of Washington in the Capitol at Richmond; or near 'Stuart's unfinished Head' and the 300 volumes bearing Washington's Autographs in the Boston Athenæum; or as companions to the 'Farewell Address' in the Lenox Library; or with the Washington Relics in the largest and best of the State Libraries, at Albany; or in the Public Record Office of London next to the original autograph of Washington's Journal to the Ohio; or, last not least, to stand in the Grenville Library, British Museum, next to the original portraits and paintings of the Indians of Virginia, executed by Governor John White in 1585-86, for Sir Walter Raleigh, and engraved in 1590 by Theodore De Bry. Virginia, the United States, and the Mother Country are equally interested in the historical materials contained in these Records. Washington's Papers fell into the hands of the French at Braddock's Defeat, but these Papers supply many of the

deficiencies occasioned by that loss. As to quantity, there are about 75 addresses, messages, speeches and charges to the House of Burgesses and the Grand Jury, 400 letters of Gov. Dinwiddie to various officers in the military service, and 475 to the Governors of other Colonies, the ministry, friends, banker, London agent, etc.; making in all about 950 separate Documents, addressed as follows to some 150 different bodies and individuals :—

GOVERNOR DINWIDDIE'S LETTERS TO—

36 To Ja. Abercrombie	2 Fitzhugh	1 Capt. Overton
5 Maj. Gen. Abercrombie	1 Lt. W. Fleming	3 Col. Patton
5 Earl of Albemarle	3 Col. Peter Fontaine	5 Richard Pearis
3 W. Alexander	14 Henry Fox, Sec. War	4 Wm. Pitt
6 W. Allen	4 Col. Joshua Fry	1 W. Pitt, Pay-Mr. Gen.
1 Dr. Anderson	1 Col. Thomas Gage	2 Capt. Polson
1 Arbutnot	1 Lt. John Gery	3 J. Pownall, Sec. B. T.
4 Atkins	2 Christopher Gist	3 Capt. Preston
1 Col. Bayliss	15 Gov. J. Glen, S. Carolina	1 Capt. Prince
10 Gov. Belcher, N. Jersey	1 The Governors, plan of operations	2 Peyton Randolph
4 John Blair	11 Earl Grenville	3 Peter Randolph
1 Col. Bland	2 Benj. Grymes	12 Col. Clement Read
3 Adml. Boscawen	1 The Half-King	1 Benj. Robinson
3 A. Boyd, Pay-master	31 Earl of Halifax	1 John Robinson
10 Gen. Braddock	1 Sir Peter Halkett	24 Sir Thos. Robinson
4 Capt. J. Buchanan	9 Gov. Hamilton, Pa.	1 Capt. Hugh Rose
1 Col. W. Byrd	1 Lord Hamilton	6 M. Rowen, Pres. N.C.
2 Col. W. Calloway	5 J. Hanbury, his Banker	4 Hon. John Rutherford
1 Maj. Colin Campbell	2 Gov. Sir C. Hardy, N.Y.	4 Sir John St. Clair
1 John Campbell	7 Capt. Hogg	48 Gov. Sharp, Maryland
1 Capt. T. Campbell	4 Earl of Holderness	18 Gov. Shirley, Mass.
1 Captains of Va. Forces	1 Col. Hunter	1 Six Nations
18 Tho. Carlyle, Commissary	30 Col. James Innes	1 Abr. Smith
1 Col. Chs. Carter	2 Col. Jefferson	1 B. Smith
4 The Catawbass	1 Arch. Kennedy	2 Capt. John Smith
1 Lord Cathcart	3 Com. Keppell	3 Col. Spotswood
3 The Cherokees	1 Hon. Aug. Keppell	1 A Spy's Commission
10 The Cherokees and Catawbass	2 Gov. Lawrence	1 Col. Stanwix
2 Capt. Clark, N.J. Ind. Co	22 Maj. Andrew Lewis	5 Ben. Stead
3 J. Cleveland, Sec. of the Board of Admiralty	1 Lt. Joshua Lewis	21 Col. Adam Stephen
1 Richard Corbin	1 Legge, Commander, H.M.S. Shoreham	12 Col. Stewart
2 Dr. Alex. Colhoun	10 Gov. Littleton	1 Talbot, Calloway & Philips
3 Capt. Cocks	2 Bishop of London	2 Capt. Terry
1 Cressap to bring the prisoner La Force	25 Lords of Trade	1 Gov. Tinker
25 Gov. DeLancy, N. York	10 Lords of the Treasury	1 Lt. James Towers
1 Capt. Demene	25 Earl of Loudoun	2 The Treasurer
25 Gov. Denny, Penn.	2 Dennis McCarthy	2 Wm. Trent
10 Charles Dick	3 Capt. McCoy, S. Carolina	1 Robert Tucket
39 Gov. Dobbs	4 Lt. J. McNeill	1 Turner, Compt. Ord. Bd.
3 Druillon (the French Prisoner)	3 Col. T. B. Martin	1 Capt. Waggoner
2 Col. Dunbar	2 Capt. Mercier	3 Thomas Walker
1 Col. R. Eastham	1 Mercier, Waggoner & Stewart	4 H. Walpole
1 John Ewing	1 Andrew Millar	61 Geo. WASHINGTON
1 Littleton Eyre	1 John Mitchell	2 Wolstenholme
14 Lord Fairfax	1 Monacatoocha	3 Capt. O. Woodron
10 Col. Fairfax	2 Andrew Montour	3 W. Wragge
	15 Gov. Morris, Penn.	1 Peter Wraxall
	5 Capt. Orme	1 Capt. Wray
		1 Alex. Wright
		2 Lt. Wm. Wright

ABSTRACT OF THE 18 ORIGINAL AUTOGRAPH LETTERS FROM WASHINGTON, all of which are to Governor Dinwiddie unless otherwise stated.

March 9, 1754. Alexandria. Urging the necessity of cloathing the Recruits and deducting cost from their pay.

May 9, 1754. Little Meadows. Slow progress on account of bad roads. Intelligence of French.

May 18, 1754. Youghyauhgan. French not yet reinforced. Wants wampum for Indians. Going to explore the river.

May 27, 1754. Great Meadows. Received warning of La Force's Party of 50 men.

May 29, 1754. Great Meadows. In answer to letter of 25th. Justifying former statements as to bad pay and hardships. Account of the engagement with Jumonville, May 28, and capture of Drouillon and La Force with their whole party.

Dinwiddie wrote to Washington May 25th (see Record Books) and after remonstrating about the discontent and dissatisfaction of the other officers as to their pay and status, continues "Now Col. W: I shall more particularly answer wt relates to Yr Self, & I must begin with expressing both concern & surprize, to find a Gent. whom I so particularly consider'd, & from whom I had so great expectats. & Hopes, appear so differently from himself, & give me leave to say mistakenly as I think, concurring with Complaints in general so ill founded. I am sensible of Yr Difficulties & You may believe I shall not let Your merit pass unnotic'd. I believe You sincerely attach'd to Yr Country's Welfare & Prosperity, wch You know very much depends on the Success of Your present Expeditn. & this I persuade myself will sweeten the Toils, that You will hereafter reflect on with Pleasure & engage You to think of nothing less than resigning Yr Comd. or countenancing in any sort the Discontent that cd. never be more unseasonable or pernicious than at present," &c.

Washington replies on the 29th. "To answer your Honour's Letter of ye 25th by Mr. Birney. I shall begin with assuring you, that nothing was further from my intention than to recede, tho' I then press'd and still desire that my services may be voluntary rather than on the present Pay. I am much concerned that your Honour should seem to charge me with ingratitude for your generous, and my undeserved favours, for I assure you Honble. Sir, nothing is a greater stranger to my Breast, or a Sin that my soul more abhors than that black and detestable one, Ingratitude." I retain a true sense of your kindnesses, and want nothing but opportunity to give testimony of my willingness to oblige as far as my Life or fortune will extend." After discussing sundry details as to the pay and sentiments of his brother officers he continues "I would not have your Honour imagine from this, that I have said all these things to have the Pay increas'd—but to justify myself, and shew your Honour that our complaints are not frivolous, but are founded upon strict Reason: for my own part, it is a matter almost indifferent whether I serve for full pay, or as a generous Volunteer; indeed, did my circumstances correspond with my Inclination, I shd not hesitate a moment to prefer the Latter: for the motives that lead me here were pure and noble. I had no view of acquisition but that of Honour, by serving faithfully my King and Country." The second four pages of this remarkable Letter are devoted to a modest account of his engagement of the previous day with the French, telling how De Jumonville the leader and nine others were killed, and Druillon and La Force with the remainder of the party taken prisoners.

May 29, 1754. Great Meadows. To Colonel Fry, asking for immediate reinforcements.

May 29, 1754. Great Meadows. Letter to Dinwiddie, with the French Prisoners. "The bearer hereof Monsieur Druillong with Monsieur La Force."

June 10, 1754. Disputes as to priority of Virginian and King's Officers. Imperfect, wants a sheet or leaf.

Aug. 20, 1754. Alexandria. Martial or Civil Law. Deserters. Bad pay, &c Commission not signed.

Aug. 20, 1754. Alexandria. Recommending Mr. Wright for a Commission. Complaining of Mr. Campbell being appointed his Deputy at half his salary.

Oct. 11 to 14, 1755. Winchester. State of the Country. Bad Discipline. Apathy of people and officers. Urges Martial Law.

Oct. 11, 1755. To Andrew Montour. Inviting him and his family and friendly Indians to come and reside among the Inhabitants.

Jan. 13, 1756. Alexandria. Major Lewis sent to Augusta County to command against the Shawaneese. Building forts on Paterson River and suggests others. Wants cloathing, &c.

Jan. 14, 1756. Alexandria. Disputes as to the providing the Maryland and Carolina Companies with Virginia stores and priority of Captain Dagworthy. Urges putting Virginia Regiment on the Establishment. Asks leave to go and consult General Shirley at Boston.

April 16, 1756. Winchester. Disappointed at not getting men to scour the neighbouring Mountains. Plan for raising and maintaining Regiment of 2,000 men as authorised by the vote of Assembly of £20,000. Asks for Commission for his brother.

- April 19, 1756. Winchester. Encloses Account of engagement within 20 miles of Winchester (enclosure wanting). Consulted with Colonel Innes and thinks it advisable to stop at Winchester till the Militia are raised as an attack is anticipated. Enclosing a copy of Letter to Lord Fairfax asking for the Militia.
- April 19, 1756. Winchester. Copy of Letter to Lord Fairfax referred to in the preceding.
- May 2, 1756. Minutes of a Court Martial held on Sergeant Lewis for retreating with a party without orders, with the Sentence of Death and signatures and seals of the 13 officers of the Court, approved and countersigned by WASHINGTON (In one of Dinwiddie's letters to Washington the governor encloses the Death Warrant of Sergeant Lewis.)

ABSTRACT OF THE LETTERS FROM GOV. DINWIDDIE TO WASHINGTON
during the time covered by the above 18 Letters of Washington to Governor Dinwiddie.

- Feb. 4, 1754. Instructions for the Expedition to the Ohio
- March 15, 1754. Instructions for marching to the Ohio on the information of the approach of the French received from Messrs. Trent & Cresup
- May 4, 1754. Received advices per Mr. Ward, &c.
- May 25, 1754. As to Complaints of pay and hardships of service (see Washington's Letter of May 29th)
- June 1, 1754. Introducing George Croghan as interpreter
- June 1, 1754. Acknowledging letter per Mr. Gist (of May 29th) containing the account of the capture of La Force's Party and congratulating him
- June 2, 1754. As to the uneasiness about the pay. Respecting the French Prisoners under Lient. West
- June 4, 1754. Enclosing Commission to command the Virginia Forces on the Death of Colonel Fry, Major Muse to be Lieut.-Colonel
- June 25, 1754. Warning him against jealousy of the officers of the Independent Companies
- June 27, 1754. Impressing caution and to beware of surprize at Red Stone Creek
- July , 1754. Acknowledges letter of June 3. General news and instructions
- Aug. 1, 1754. Order to complete Regiment to 300 and march to Wills Creek
- Aug. 3, 1754. Sends £600 on account
- Sept. 11, 1754. Assembly prorogued without supplies. Orders Washington to give 40 or 50 men to Capt. Lewis to proceed immediately to Augusta County and protect frontier. Hurry to Wills Creek
- Dec. 20, 1754. Cant send money at present
- July 26, 1755. After battle of Monongahela and Death of Braddock. Commending Washington and asking his opinion as to the efficacy of another immediate attack on the French
- Aug. 14, 1755. Commission as Colonel of Virginia forces and Commander in Chief. Instructions and Memoranda
- Sep. 17, 1755. Details of Clothing, Provisions, &c.
- Oct. 18, 1755. Hopes with assistance of Militia and recruits Washington will be able to drive those Banditti from the frontiers
- Oct. 26, 1755. Orders Militia back if not absolute wanted on account of expense
- Dec. 14, 1755. General news and instructions
- Jan. 23, 1756. Recd. letters of 13th and 14th. Expedition against Shawnesse. Agrees with proposed journey to Shirley and advises thereon
- Apl. 8, 1756. Commission to appoint Courts Martial
- Apl. 23, 1756. Received letter of 19th. Two generals appointed, Loudoun and Abercrombie; believes blank Commissions will be sent for Americans, if so "I doubt not you will be taken care of"
- Apl. 28, 1756. Concerned at State of the Country. Orders Militia, arms and ammunition to Winchester
- May 3. Hope Militia have arrived Approves plan for fortifying Winchester

AND 35 OTHERS BETWEEN MAY 1756 AND NOV. 1757. .

- 1056 VOISIN DE LA POPELLINIÈRE (LANCELOT) *Les trois Mondes*. Par le Seigneur de la Popellinière. 28 *prelim. leaves*: Text, 1st book 55 *foliod leaves*; blank leaf; 2nd book, 56, and 3rd book, 50 *numbered leaves*, followed by a colophon leaf. 'Acheué d'Imprimer pour la Seconde Edition en Septembre, 1582. *Splendid copy in calf extra, g. e. by Pratt*

8vo. *A Paris, A l'Olivier de Pierre l'Huillier, 1582*

This second edition, in octavo, with the splendid little elaborate woodcut map called for on folio 4 of the First Book is of excessive rarity. The map here is a photo-lithographic facsimile. The map is so rare that we have met with only two copies of it.

- 1057 VOS (JAN) ARAN EN TITVS, of Wraak en Weerwraak: Treurspel van Jan Vos. Den vijfden Druk, op nieuw overzien en verbeterd. A to L in *fours*, including frontispiece, *fine copy, in vellum, excessively scarce* 4to. *t'Amsterdam, Jacob Lescaille, 1656*

This rare Dutch Drama, of which the first edition was in 1641, seems to bear a close resemblance to Shakspeare's *Titus Andronicus*. The Characters or Dramatis Personæ are almost identical, and the scenes are similar, sufficiently so to give this play a place in a Shakspeare collection.

- 1058 VOYAGES. Prima Pars Descriptionis Itineris Navalis in Indiam Orientalem [under Admiral CORNELIS HOUTMAN] earvmqve rerum quæ navibus Battavis occurrerunt: una cum particulari enarratione conditionum, etc. etc. Authore G.M.A.W.L. [i.e. Willem Lodewijcksz], 51 *foliod leaves*, with one separate plate of coins, and many maps and plates in the text, *fine complete copy, FIRST Latin Edition, SCARCE folio. Amstelrodami, ex Officina Cornelij Nicolaj, 1598*

This is the Journal kept by William Lodewycks of the first expedition of the Dutch to the East Indies in 1595, under the command of Admiral Cornelis Houtman. The success of this Voyage gave a new turn to Navigation and maritime enterprise. It set the Dutch wild for Eastern trade. The impulse given by Linschot's wonderful book was first realized in this Voyage, and its success aroused the London Merchants to follow suit in 1599 with a combination which resulted in the English East India Company.

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- 1128 West (Benjamin) *An Account of the Observations of Venus upon the Sun, the third day of June, 1769, at Providence in New-England, with some account of the Use of those Observations, title, dedication vi and text 24 pp.*

8vo. Providence : John Carter, at Shakespear's Head, 1769

A very rare tract, creditable to the science and enterprise of Rhode Island. This fine copy bears the autograph of Isaiah Thomas, the author of the *History of Printing in America*. The Tract is dedicated by the author to Stephen Hopkins, afterwards one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. The Browns, Dr. Stiles, Mr. Redwood, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Nash and other prominent Rhode Islanders took active interest in the Observations.

- 1129 West (Samuel, *A.M. Pastor in Dartmouth*) *A Sermon, before the Hon. Council, and the House of Representatives of the Colony of Massachusetts-Bay, in New England, May 29th, 1776, the Anniversary of Election of the Council, 70 pp. uncut*

8vo. Boston : J. Gill, 1776

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This bold, outspoken discourse, delivered only five weeks before the Declaration of Independence in Philadelphia, breathes the same spirit in Boston, and declares "that we are in the way of our duty, in opposing the tyranny of Great Britain." "Resistance to Tyrants is obedience to God" became the public cry, as in the days of the Regicides.

- 1130 West (Samuel, *Pastor in Needham*) *A Sermon, before Gov. Bowdoin, Lt. Gov. Cushing, the Council, Senate and House of Representatives of Massachusetts, May 31, 1786, 32 pp. uncut*

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8vo. Newbedford, Mass. John Spooner, 1795

Dr. Samuel West, of New Bedford, was perhaps one of the most sound and logical thinkers of New England. Whoever is sufficiently interested in metaphysics to read Jonathan Edwards on the Will, ought also to read this, his shrewd and straightforward critique. The First Part was published separately two years earlier.

- 1134 WEST (Samuel, *D.D. Pastor of the First Church of Christ in Newbedford*) *Essays on Liberty and Necessity ; in two Parts, uncut. Part I, 48 pp. Part II, 96 pp.*

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Splendid copy of both parts. Part I, the author informs us, was struck off in 1793 in Boston, and in a few months was out of print. "A second impression is now [1795] offered to the public : which, with the Second Part, it is hoped will meet as welcome a reception."

- 1135 WEST (STEPHEN, *Pastor in Stockbridge, Massachusetts*) *A Vindication of the Principles and Conduct of the Church in Stockbridge. In excluding from their Communion, one of their Members, for marrying a Person immoral and profane. In reply to the Connecticut Gentleman's [Rev. Jonathan Huntington of Coventry, Connecticut] Plea, &c. By Stephen West, Pastor. With an Appendix by John Bacon, 99 pp. uncut, very fine copy, scarce*

8vo. Hartford : Hudson and Goodwin, 1780

For other tracts on this Stockbridge Ecclesiastical War see lots 229 and 230 of this catalogue.

- 1136 West (Stephen, A.M. *Pastor in Stockbridge, Mass.*) *The Scripture Doctrine of Atonement, proposed to careful Examination. Half title, title and preface xii, and text 164 pp. and page of Errata, very fine copy, SCARCE*

Svo. New-Haven : Meigs, Bowen and Dana, 1785

This Dr. West was also a distinguished New England metaphysician and succeeded Dr. Jonathan Edwards in his pastoral charge of the Housatonic Indians of Stockbridge, Massachusetts, and their white neighbours. He criticised Edwards' writings; and in his own severely handled his namesake Dr. Samuel West, being his very antipode in all reasonings respecting the *cause* and effect of volition, and other equally abstruse subjects of metaphysical warfare.

- 1137 WEST-INDIA COMPANY. Vereenighde Nederlandschen RAEDT, het eersten Deel [het tweede Deel] Bewysende met Klare Exempelen ende levendige redenen, datmen dese Ver. Ned. (met Godes hulpe) in Korten tijd. *etc.* (Advice how the Netherlands may be freed from the present War, &c.) *The first and second books complete, 40 and 60 pp. fine copies, uncut, in 1 vol. vellum 4to. In's Graven-Hage, by Aert Meuris, 1628-1629*

The advice is mainly to unite the East and West India Companies and reserve the trade with the Brazils, the West Indies, Coast of Africa, &c. The hints are of considerable historical importance. The book was popular, no less than four editions appearing the first year. Of this copy Part 1 is the first edition, and Part 2 is the second edition. See Asher, No. 127 and 128.

- 1138 WEST-INDIA COMPANY. Verhooginge der Capitalen vande West-Indische Compagnie Voor een derde part, *a large black letter folio broadside, folded and bound in calf extra by F. Bedford, 1629*

This is a public Notice that the capital or stock of the Dutch West-India Company is proposed to be increased by one-third. See Asher, No. 71, and Trömel, No. 143, this being the same copy described by both.

- 1139 WEST-INDIA COMPANY. Nader Odre ende Reglement, *etc.* (relative to certain Rules & regulations of Commerce for Free Trade in Wood, Tobacco, Cotton, *etc.* in the Brasels, Oranoco, Carthagena, Honduras, Campeche, Gulf of Mexico, Florida, &c.) *black letter, folio, broadside (folded) calf extra by F. Bedford. (Jan. 6, 1635)*

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- 1140 WEST-INDIA COMPANY. Aenwysinge : Datmen vande Oost en West-Indische Compagnien, een Compagnie dient te maken. Mitgaders Twintich Considerationen op de Trafyque, Zeevaert en Commertie deser Landen, Concordiâ res parvæ crescunt, *18 leaves not numbered, black letter, fine clean copy, vellum*

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- 1141 WEST-INDIA COMPANY. Remonstrantie . . . overgegeven, Juny 1664. By de Bewint-hebberen van de W. I. Co. op ende jegens Verscheyde Memorien van den Resident Carisius, wegens de (gepretendeerde) Deensche Africaensche Compagnie, aen haer Ho. Mo. overgegeven (Remonstrance against the pretended Danish African Company) *32 pp. black letter, fine copy in calf extra by Bedford (see No. 320 Asher and 327 Trömel) 4to. Amsterdam, Pieter Iansz de Koningh, 1664*

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This is not all. An important part of the history of the British American Colonies from a little before the acquisition of Canada to the Declaration of Independence: and of the United States from the beginning of the Revolution to the final ratification and adoption of the Federal Constitution, is mixed up and locked up in Franklin's unpublished papers. While the Colonial legislative Assemblies, and afterwards, the Continental Congress, were working out their great problems and achieving national independence beyond the Atlantic, Franklin, on this side, almost alone, was carrying on the counterpart of the great work, first in England, and afterwards in France. Congress sat with closed doors and left but meagre records, few of its Members being given to pen-work. Franklin on the contrary, sat and deliberated with pen in hand. But for the last sixty, nay ninety years, the main portion of his papers have by the hand of fortune or misfortune become 'things lost upon earth.' Hence American History pines for want of authentic materials. Peter Force, one of America's noblemen, undertook to remedy this misfortune by the publication of his American Archives, but when the Congress, through innate narrowness of party, had endeavoured to break the government contract with him, and had abandoned the effort in 1840, a single Secretary of State sat upon the enterprising historian, and, most unfortunately for American history, extinguished him and his great national work. Still Franklin, though he has been shunted into the cool shade of the Second Century of the Republic which he helped to found, survives, and the existence of his Papers is here formally announced and recorded.

From the time Franklin returned home from France in 1785, to the day of his death, the 17 April, 1790, much of his leisure from public business was occupied in selecting and arranging his papers. It was well known that before going to France in 1776, he deposited his literary and scientific treasures, up to that time, with his friend Mr Galloway. Mr Galloway joining the enemy not long after, the trunk containing the papers was broken open and the contents, scattered about the room in his empty house near Philadelphia, trodden upon, injured and probably partially destroyed. Much more, however, of these Papers was saved or recovered than is generally supposed. The Twyford portion of the Autobiography to 1731 fell into the hands of honest Abel James, who wrote the Doctor at Passy in 1782 urging its continuation. The 2d part was added in 1784, and the 3d to 1757 in 1788. Some of the Craven Street

Letter Books, with other and earlier papers, were also recovered, though many had been wet and injured. Some of them with dates as far back as 1728 are still visible witnesses of their rough treatment, neglect and narrow escapes. In his will Franklin, after disposing of a good part of his library, adds "The residue and remainder of all my books, manuscripts and papers, I do give to my grandson, William Temple Franklin." The Papers thus became the absolute property of his grandson, without qualification, direction or instructions as to disposition or publication. In the course of the year 1790 young Franklin came to London with the view of editing the Life and Works of his grandfather, and in some way realizing the value of the copyright by publication in English and other languages. He promptly announced his intention of immediately printing the Autobiography and other works in English. He had already written from Phil. 22 May, to M. le Veillard at Passy, announcing that his grandfather had left all his papers and manuscripts to him, and requesting him not to show any one that part of his Life which the Dr sent him some time before, lest it might be copied and published. As he had the *original* of the portion sent to M. le Veillard, it would not be necessary for him to return it then, but requested M. le V. to put it in an envelope, securely sealed and addressed to himself. This is clearly a sufficient proof that the Manuscript in M. le Veillard's hands was considered the property of Temple Franklin. In like manner it may be presumed he reclaimed and got possession of the other revised copy sent at the same time to the doctor's friends in London. M. de Rochefoucauld-Liancourt declared publicly that the doctor had sent his memoirs to M. le Veillard and himself, at the same time sending a duplicate of the revision to Dr Price and Mr Benjamin Vaughan of London. These facts are stated in the Eulogium which M. de Rochefoucauld delivered before the '89 Society' of Paris the 13 June, 1790, adding, "His Memoirs, Gentlemen, will be published as soon as we receive from America the additions he may have made to the manuscript in our possession; and we then intend to give a complete collection of his works." This assertion probably explains how the first portion of the Autobiography got into the hands of Buisson, the publisher, before the arrival of Temple Franklin's letter to M. le Veillard. Buisson's edition of the 'Mémoires' (114) came out in the beginning of 1791. On the 21st of March following M. le Veillard published a protest against this publication and declared that he did not know how the translator became possessed of the Autobiography, and declared that it was not furnished by him. This announcement was necessary to vindicate himself in his trust to Temple Franklin. Prior to this an anonymous writer in London had issued as 'Printed and sold for the Author by A. Grant,' and others, *Memoirs of the late Dr. Franklin* (112) London, 1790. The doctor's old publishers, Henry (69), and Newberry (77), and Johnson (87, 88), and Dilly (108), were still in the market. Temple Franklin, seeing how matters stood, naturally felt aggrieved, and complained that the publishers were snatching the market from him, the rightful owner, and he became very properly exceedingly close and careful of his manuscripts. Two projects were in hand as early as the beginning of 1791 for reproducing by translation Buisson's volume, but in consequence of Temple Franklin's announcements they were both kept back nearly two years, and did not appear till the summer of 1793, one in one volume published by Parsons (121), and the other in two volumes published by Robinson (119 and 122). They are very different translations, but are both from the French of Buisson's pirated edition, itself a translation from Dr Franklin's English. Dr Price and Benjamin Vaughan were the editors of Robinson's edition. Price had died in 1791, but a letter of his is appended to the preface, in which he says that he had seen the Manuscript Autobiography to 1757, though the portion given in the French edition to 1731 is all that is published. The continuation had probably been reclaimed from Mr Vaughan. The plan of the work was changed during its suspension. The 'Essays, humorous, moral and literary,' were originally printed as volume I, and the Autobiography, with Dr Stuber's continuation as vol. II, but reversed by the letterings. Robinson's edition is far superior to Parsons'. There were three issues of Robinson's editions in a short time, and it was soon after reprinted in Dublin (120), Dundee (129), Edinburgh (139), New York (124 and 125), Salem (128) and many other places, while Parsons' edition was, we believe, never honored by a reprint, though it contains some things from the French that

had not appeared when Buisson's work came out. It is still worth consulting. In the Advertisement is the following confession: "The Translator would have presented the world with this volume long since, had he not been restrained by a certain degree of delicacy, mingled with veneration, towards the family of this great man; for on being informed by a respectable bookseller in St Paul's Church-yard [Johnson? Franklin's prior publisher] that the works of Franklin were about to be published by his grandson, he withheld the present publication for several months, in expectation of that event." All these books become 'trade editions,' and thus the interest of the trade was against Temple Franklin and his proposed larger work. He not only found difficulty in procuring a publisher not interested in any of these rival works, but his expressed annoyance and disappointment were answered by gossiping inuendos and flings on account of his delay in fulfilling his announcements and gratifying the hungry public with an opportunity of reading the real Autobiography and the Doctor's other genuine and revised works. Meanwhile the trade was reaping good harvests in the small and nimble editions, as abundantly appears by the list of printed Frankliniana given further on (No. 1-204). This gossip at length took shape and culminated in positive charges of dishonorable conduct on the part of Temple Franklin, as given in the preface of Johnson's trade edition in 3 volumes, 1806. Johnson had been a publisher of Franklin's works for some thirty years, including Benjamin Vaughan's 4th and 8th editions of 1779, admitted to be with the approval of the Author, though the Doctor derived no profit from the publications. This edition is sometimes called Longman's, but it has been ascertained that the house of Longman had nothing to do with it beyond taking a 'trade share' in its publication. The work was fairly edited by Mr Marshall assisted by Benjamin Vaughan, who about that time removed to America. In the preface to volume one is found the following trade-protection cry in behalf of the generous public, containing in outspoken language the charges against Temple Franklin. We give it entire to show its true spirit.

"The character of Dr. Franklin, as a philosopher, a politician, and a moralist, is too well known to require illustration, and his writings, from their interesting nature, and the fascinating simplicity of their style, are too highly esteemed, for any apology to be necessary for so large a collection of them, unless it should be deemed necessary by the individual to whom Dr. Franklin in his will consigned his manuscripts: and to him our apology will consist in a reference to his own extraordinary conduct. In bequeathing his papers, it was no doubt the intention of the testator, that the world should have the chance of being benefited by their publication. It was so understood by the person in question, his grandson, who accordingly shortly after the death of his great relative, hastened to London, the best mart for literary property, employed an amanuensis for many months in copying, ransacked our public libraries that nothing might escape, and at length had so far prepared the works of Dr. Franklin for the press, that proposals were made by him to several of our principal booksellers for the sale of them. They were to form three quarto volumes, and were to contain all the writings, published and unpublished, of Franklin, with Memoirs of his Life, brought down by himself to the year 1757, and continued to his death by the legatee. They were to be published in three different languages, and the countries corresponding to those languages, France, Germany and England, on the same day. The terms asked for the copyright of the English edition were high, amounting to several thousand pounds, which occasioned a little demur; but eventually they would no doubt have been obtained. Nothing more, however, was heard of the proposals or the work, in this its fair market. The proprietor, it seems, had found a bidder of a different description in some emissary of government, whose object was to withhold the manuscripts from the world, not to benefit it by their publication; and they thus either passed into other hands, or the person to whom they were bequeathed received a remuneration for suppressing them. This at least has been asserted, by a variety of persons, both in this country and America, of whom some were at the time intimate with the grandson, and not wholly unacquainted with the machinations of the ministry; and the silence, which has been observed for so many years respecting the publication, gives additional credibility to the report. What the manuscripts contained, that should have excited the jealousy of government, we are unable, as we have never seen them, positively to affirm;

but, from the conspicuous part acted by the author in the American revolution, and the wars connected with it, it is by no means difficult to guess ; and of this we are sure, from his character, that no disposition of his writings could have been more contrary to his intentions or wishes. We have only to add, that in the present collection, which is probably all that will ever be published of the works of this extraordinary man, the papers are methodically arranged," *etc.* Dated April 7, 1806.

This farrago of suspicion, groundless charges, and boundless assumption would not have been quoted here but for its having been generally credited at the time, and quoted as 'good history' even down to the present day. In the *Edinburgh Review* of July 1806, this edition was fully noticed and the charges sifted. The reader is referred to that able article. Mr Bigelow has fortunately turned up some curious circumstances in this connection, by which it appears that in 1807 there was published in Paris *The Argus or London Review*, which periodical, on the 28th of March, reiterated these charges, on the responsibility of an article taken from the *American Citizen*, of New York, under date of 6 Sept. 1806, the substance of which, as given by Mr Bigelow, was "William Temple Franklin, without shame, without remorse, mean and mercenary, sold the sacred deposit, committed to his care by Dr. Franklin, to the British government. Franklin's works are therefore lost to the world." On seeing this column of the *Argus*, Mr Temple Franklin, who was then in Paris, the same day addressed a letter to the editor of the *Argus*, warmly and indignantly answering and disproving, to the satisfaction of the editor, every one of the 'falsehoods.' Three days later the *Argus* inserted Franklin's letter, with "We publish this letter with the greater pleasure as it contains a full and satisfactory answer to the calumnies circulated on his conduct," *etc.* ; but it does not apparently satisfy Mr Bigelow who closes his summary of the matter (page 66, ed. 1879, vol. I) with these words : "Whatever impression this letter may have upon the mind of the reader of to-day, it is certain that it did not shake the general conviction of William Temple's contemporaries that he had yielded to influences anything but friendly to the memory of his grandfather or honorable to himself." Temple Franklin again referred to these foul aspersions on his conduct and character in the preface of his edition of the Life and Works of Franklin in 1818, but as he did not do it in the precise words, warmth and style of his Paris letter, the explanation of his delay in bringing out the work has been severely cavil'd at. The papers themselves exist in this collection, and they bear no thumb or finger marks of the British government. The condition and history of them abundantly prove the falsity of the charges both against Temple Franklin and the British government.

It is not to be denied that Temple Franklin's editions of the Life and Works of Dr Franklin in 1818 did not satisfy the craving public. More was expected. Very few of Dr Franklin's political writings during the nine years of diplomacy in Paris were published, and no one ever knew why, but many again jumped to the conclusion that they had been suppressed. Mr Bigelow again revives the discussion by bringing Jefferson himself on to the stand. He says, vol. II, page 253 : "Unhappily, there is too good reason to believe that Wm. Temple Franklin took the same liberties with this precious document that he appears to have allowed himself to take with the Autobiography. My authority for these suspicions may be found in the following paragraph with which Thomas Jefferson closes his Autobiography : 'I left Monticello on the first of March, 1790, for New York. At Philadelphia I called on the venerable and beloved Franklyn. He was then on the bed of sickness from which he never rose. My recent return from a country in which he had left so many friends, and the perilous convulsions to which they had been exposed, revived all his anxieties to know what part they had taken, what had been their course, and what their fate. He went over all in succession, with a rapidity and animation almost too much for his strength. When all his inquiries were satisfied, and a pause took place, I told him I had learned with much pleasure that, since his return to America, he had been occupied in preparing for the world the history of his own life.' 'I cannot say much for that,' said he, 'but I will give you a sample of what I shall leave ;' and he directed his little grandson (William Bache), who was standing by the bedside, to hand him a paper from the table to which he pointed. He did so ; and the Doctor, putting it into my

hands, desired me to take it and read it at my leisure. It was about a quire of folio paper, written in a large and running hand, very much like his own. I looked into it slightly, then shut it, and said I would accept his permission to read it, and would carefully return it. He said, 'No, keep it.' Not certain of his meaning, I again looked into it, folded it for my pocket, and said again, 'I would certainly return it.' 'No,' said he, 'keep it.' I put it into my pocket, and shortly after took leave of him. He died on the 17th of the ensuing month of April; and as I understood that he had bequeathed all his papers to his grandson, William Temple Franklyn, I immediately wrote to Mr. Franklyn, to inform him I possessed this paper, which I should consider as his property, and would deliver it to his order. He came on immediately to New York, called on me for it, and I delivered it to him. As he put it into his pocket, he said carelessly, he had either the original or another copy of it, I don't recollect which. This last expression struck my attention forcibly, and for the first time suggested to me the thought that Dr. Franklyn had meant it as a confidential deposit in my hands, and that I had done wrong in parting from it. I have not yet seen the collection he published of Dr. Franklyn's works, and, therefore, know not if this is among them. I have been told it is not. It contained a narrative of the negotiations between Dr. Franklyn and the British Ministry, when he was endeavouring to prevent the contest of arms that followed. The negotiation was brought about by the intervention of Lord Howe and his sister, who, I believe, was called Lady Howe; but I may misremember her title. Lord Howe seems to have been friendly to America, and exceedingly anxious to prevent a rupture. His intimacy with Dr. Franklyn, and his position with the ministry, induced him to undertake mediation between them; in which his sister seemed to have been associated. They carried from one to the other, backwards and forwards, the several propositions, and answers, which passed, and seconded with their own intercessions the importance of mutual sacrifices, to preserve the peace and connection of the two countries. I remember that Lord North's answers were dry, unyielding in the spirit of unconditional submission, and betrayed an absolute indifference to the occurrence of a rupture, and he said to the mediators distinctly at last, that 'a rebellion was not to be deprecated on the part of Great Britain; that the confiscations it would produce would provide for many of their friends.' This expression was reported by the mediators to Dr. Franklyn, and indicated so cool and calculated a purpose in the ministry as to render compromise hopeless, and the negotiation was discontinued. If this is not among the papers published, we ask, what has become of it? I delivered it with my own hands into those of Temple Franklyn. It certainly established views so atrocious in the British government that its suppression would, to them, be worth a great price. But could the grandson of Dr. Franklyn be, in such degree, an accomplice in the parricide of the memory of his immortal grandfather? The suspension for more than twenty years of the general publication, bequeathed and confided to him, produced for a while hard suspicions against him; and if, at last, all are not published, a part of these suspicions may remain with some.—Ed."

Before commenting on this Jeffersonian diatribe, it may be well to refer to the *Edinburgh Review's* opinion on these wild statements of the quondam friend of Franklin and ex-President of the United States. In the Number for July, 1830, in a long review of Thomas Jefferson Randolph's edition of the *Memoirs, Correspondence and Private Papers of Thomas Jefferson*, 4 vols. London 1829, 8°, on page 503, the reviewer says "Jefferson had a fatal readiness of believing anything against an English minister or a Federalist. In the case of Mr Temple Franklin, he makes insinuations, and in that of Chief Justice Marshall, direct charges of a suppression of the truth, which would be no less inconsistent with honesty and history, than the most active invention of immediate untruths. The insinuations against Franklin's grandson is that he had sold to the English government a portion of Dr Franklin's memoirs, which would have established against them views so atrocious that 'its suppression would be worth to them a great price.' We do not wonder that the public curiosity, when defeated by a delay in the general publication which it could not understand, revenged itself in gossiping, especially if the reputation of the executor was not absolutely beyond the reach of such discreditable surmises. But in fact the paper referred to forms a prominent part of the *Memoirs*, as at last published by the grandson,

The reader may indeed look in vain for the declaration stated to have been made by Lord North—that ‘a rebellion was not to be deprecated on the part of Great Britain ; that the confiscations it would produce, would provide for many of their friends.’ This, we believe, will be the case simply because it is our firm opinion that Jefferson’s passions have in this instance confused his recollections, and that no such declaration was ever made or stated. Any such statement is utterly inconsistent with Lord North’s disposition ; it is in contradiction to the general character of the messages as reported ; and had any such wicked feeling escaped from the minister, we cannot believe that Lord Howe and his sister, whilst acting the part of generous mediators, would have been guilty of the gratuitous mischief of repeating it. Many things are printed in Franklin’s posthumous collections which, if the English government had begun to buy, common prudence would have included in the purchase.”

To this we need only add our opinion that it is useless to attempt to fathom, or troll for, Jefferson’s motives in writing such contradictory and transparent misconception about so serious a matter. What he wrote in his journal is based on more than thirty years recollection. He tells a round story and quotes only three or four lines, and even these from memory. He had never seen Temple Franklin’s edition, but had only heard that it did not contain his phantom. We would gladly let him off on the score of bad memory, were it not for his slow-scented followers who warp the truth by the very weight of reiteration. There can be no question about what the paper was. It was “An Account of the Negotiations in London for effecting a Reconciliation between Great Britain and the American Colonies,” and was written by Franklin on board the Packet bound to Philadelphia in March, 1775. It fills about 80 pages of an ordinary printed octavo volume, equal in extent to more than one-third of the Autobiography, of which it should form a part. The original paper, in the autograph of Franklin, forms a part of the present Collection. It was fairly edited and printed by W. Temple Franklin, and now exists as a voucher against all comers. Its importance cannot well be over-estimated. The paper speaks for itself, and gives an honest verdict against the treacherous memory of Ex-President Jefferson. Jefferson must also have been mistaken about Temple Franklin’s remark when he received the paper, as well as to the doctor’s wish to have him retain it as a ‘confidential deposit.’ The fact appears to be that the Narrative was drawn up at sea, without the many original notes, letters and memoranda referred to in it. Blank spaces were left in the foolscap paper with memoranda ‘here insert it.’ Temple Franklin therefore had all the original ‘insertions,’ while Mr Jefferson had the Paper. The narrative reads well without these vouchers, but infinitely clearer with them. It was natural therefore that young Franklin should be anxious to recover the original narrative and put it safely in his pocket in order that the document might be complete. This paper with the original insertions is one of the gems of our Collection.

Let us make one more quotation, cut damp from a morning Newspaper, the *Daily News* of the 18th March, 1881. It is the last telling of the story of the suppressed Papers, and was probably intended as mere literary gossip :—

“There is rather a curious history attaching to the Franklin manuscripts which were offered to the American Congress the other day for the sum of 25,000 dollars [this is an error for 35,000]. The manuscripts were originally left to Benjamin Franklin’s grandson, William Temple Franklin, and contain the secret history of the war, private negotiations, and many political anecdotes of the time, which would now of course be of great value, but which at the period of Franklin’s death it was considered unwise to make public. The manuscripts were taken to England by William Temple Franklin, who, however, suppressed most of them, in consideration, it is said, of a sum paid to him by the British Government, and only published a portion of that part which consisted of the autobiography of his grandfather, and even this he greatly mutilated before making it public. The documents now offered to Congress are said to be the whole of the suppressed manuscripts which belonged to William Temple Franklin. If they have been preserved in their entirety, they are of course most valuable pieces of history, and should undoubtedly be in possession of the American Government. But there is some doubt as to whether they really are in perfect condition. The man who did not hesitate to mutilate the autobiography of Benjamin Franklin would scarcely be inclined to regard

the remaining manuscripts with any great reverence, and it is quite possible that he may have taken liberties with them which greatly deteriorate, if they do not destroy, their historical value."

From what is said above and below, it is not needful here to say more than that the writer is misinformed as to 'the man who did not hesitate to mutilate the autobiography of Benjamin Franklin.' Franklin wrote the first part of his autobiography in 1771, bringing the narrative down to a little beyond his marriage in 1730. In 1784 at Passy, and in 1788 at Phil. he continued it down to 1757. He was urged by many friends after his return home in 1785 to go on and finish it to 1790. But he was ill, and crowded with work too much for his old age. He promised and promised, but failed to accomplish. He however revised, altered and amended what was already written and sent copies to Paris and to London, retaining the original draft, a good deal corrected. The 'mutilations' therefore were Dr Franklin's own revisions and amendments. He was anxious to improve it, and even asked his friend Benjamin Vaughan to look it over and suggest corrections, for he said, in his old age he had not confidence in his own judgment. Temple Franklin in 1790 brought the original draft to London and soon after exchanged it for the revised copy, both belonging to himself, deposited with M. le Veillard. He unquestionably did right in printing from Franklin's own corrected copy instead of the autographic original draft. That his old friend might possess a substantial memorial of Franklin the grandson left the original draft with the Veillard family. The writer saw it in 1852 at Amiens in the possession of M. de Senarmont, a relative by marriage of M. le Veillard, who had been beheaded in 1794. He spent two days with that amiable gentleman and his family, and was permitted to collate the autograph draft with Temple Franklin's printed text of the autobiography. The manuscript was then the undivided property of three persons. They were all there, but on consultation were not willing to sell it unless they could obtain a sum worth dividing. A small price therefore was no temptation. They did not then care to dispose of the other autograph papers or the portrait by Duplessis. The writer left a standing offer of £200 for it, they wanting £600. As it was not an unpublished paper, the purchase was not completed, though considerable friendly correspondence followed. It is an important relic of the great American Statesman and Philosopher, but it would manifestly have been wrong under all the circumstances for Temple Franklin to print the original draft (though somewhat corrected) instead of the copy revised and corrected by the author. Franklin himself may have erred in judgment sometimes and chosen a secondary word, but in almost every instance the last construction of the sentence and the word substituted rest on good foundations. Temple Franklin therefore may be discharged as not guilty.

At all events it is now abundantly evident that the British Government never tampered with Mr Temple Franklin, that Temple Franklin never squeezed £7000, as was said, or any other sum, out of John Bull, for suppressing the manuscripts of Dr Franklin, or that he ever sold, lost or destroyed these historical papers, which now appear in this our collection, safe and well cared for, to speak for themselves, to the honour of Temple Franklin, and the glory of America and her favourite son. The truth is now manifest, that the British Government in 1793, or 1800 or 1806, or later, had nothing to fear from the disclosure of private matters or public interests by the publication of anything more from the pen of Dr Franklin, her old colonial sage, who had been in his grave since 1790. The whole mystery is now revealed and explained. William Temple Franklin was a slow coach, honest, earnest, proud of his charge, opinionated, laborious and fussy; but at the same time he was an unmethodical muddler, an incompetent editor, and uncommonly dilatory in his habits. He had been an industrious and trusted assistant under his grandfather, but for himself he was not born to finish anything. Mr Colburn, his publisher, was for years finding this out, but when at last he saw how matters stood he delicately prevailed upon the thin-skinned editor to employ a *clerk* to aid him in the fag of his editorial work. Young Franklin consented and Mr Colburn provided him with an assistant, who was ostensibly to be a mere clerk, but who was in reality a competent editor.

Under this arrangement matters advanced more regularly and rapidly, so that by the year 1818, when the work had been in hand more than a quarter of

a century two editions were issued, the one in 6 volumes in octavo, and the other, with same contents, in 3 volumes in quarto. The materials were so abundant, and Franklin was so conservative against cutting down or leaving out anything, that Mr Colburn and the clerk had to employ all their dexterity to omit judiciously and abridge with discretion, at the same time making the editor believe that Hercules was performing his own labours. But a still greater difficulty arose. Temple Franklin, having little experience of editorial work, and having for many years been the confidential assistant and private secretary of his grandfather, felt that as the manuscripts had been left to him, and he himself had been *magna pars* in all his grandfather's public and private affairs, he had a right to alter, cut about, re-arrange, enlarge or abridge the papers as he thought needful for publication. But he did this with no dishonest purpose. Some curious and many strange instances of this literary gerrymandering appear still in the original manuscripts; and many more will be developed by comparing the original MSS with the printed copy, the alterations being made with scissors or pins, but without destroying anything. Though the original manuscripts were cut about and pasted into long slips for the printer, they have been carefully and with great expense soaked apart and rearranged in their proper places, little the worse for their adventures. From the outset Mr Colburn was unwilling to venture beyond an octavo edition of six volumes. This led to much discussion until Temple Franklin consented to consider these six volumes as a first instalment or half of the work, the other half to be put to the press if the success of the sale warranted. It was thus that the first half of Temple Franklin's important edition of Dr Franklin's Life and Works first saw the light, not from any impediment on the part of the British Government. The delay arose simply out of the inexperience, incompetence and procrastination of the editor and proprietor, in addition to the difficulties he had to encounter in those momentous war times to find a disinterested publisher who could afford to undertake so large a work in the face of the innumerable minor editions already before the public. The second half never appeared, and outsiders never knew how imperfect the work was, or what was left behind for posterity to develope. Temple Franklin died in Paris in 1823, and the same year the Papers, edited and unedited, became buried in complete obscurity. To all subsequent writers from Sparks to Bigelow, they have still been lost. Temple Franklin's authoritative edition has always been considered the standard as far as it went, but no one has ever accounted for its meagreness and shortcomings except by accusing the editor of dishonourable connivance with the British Government in suppressing the cream of the papers. No doubt it was the editor's intention had he lived to bring out the rest of the previously printed miscellaneous and scientific works, together with the better and later half of the correspondence and diplomatic achievements of that nine years in France, the crowning glory of his grandfather's career, which added the key-stone to the fabric of the Western Republic. Temple Franklin's experience with the 'trade' of London since 1790 had cautioned him not to show his hand, or permit editors or publishers to examine or learn what more papers that old family iron-bound chest contained. He knew well that his grandfather never looked after his writings, and took no stock in the copyrights of his numerous mental offspring. So in 1818, when his first series was published, he again locked the old chest in the vaults of his bankers, where the papers had been deposited for safety well nigh a quarter of a century, and went off to France, awaiting the progress of his venture in the hands of Mr Colburn. In Paris he lived, married, and after a short time died. Mrs Franklin, as his executrix, administered on his estate, took possession of what property there was, and on the 27th of September, 1823, removed the precious deposits from the bankers. And this was all that Temple Franklin, in conspiracy with the ever abused British Government, did towards '*suppressing*' his grandfather's writings. Man proposes, God disposes. Nearly a century has passed since Franklin died. His enemies and envious rivals have done their best to stifle his merits. The Centennial has passed, and even yet editors and collectors, regardless of copyright and the unused material that lie 'latent' still continue to prate of William Temple Franklin '*mutilating his grandfather's Autobiography*' and selling his patrimony to Mr Bull! It is now the old philosopher's turn. The lightning rods that he put in pickle a hundred years ago are

abundantly sufficient to protect himself and his grandson now and hereafter. Here is one of them, given as a sample, to show how the old man of fourscore could considerably apply the 'beach seal' to an indiscreet youngster. Beginning at six o'clock in the morning the doctor wrote four letters to Mr William Jackson the same day on the same subject and to the same purport. Temple Franklin, and after him Mr Sparks, have given us the first three, but this fourth good letter has been kept until now. This, with hundreds of other papers, were, we think, wisely withheld for Mr Colburn's second Series of six volumes. The letter will explain itself.

"Passy, July 10, 1781.

"Sir,—Last night I received your fourth letter on the same subject. You are anxious to carry the money with you, because it will reanimate the credit of America. My situation, and long acquaintance with affairs relating to the public credit, enable me, I think, to judge better than you can do, who are a novice in them, what employment of it will most conduce to that end; and I imagine the retaining it to pay the Congress drafts has infinitely the advantage. You repeat that the ship is detained by my refusal. You forget your having written to me expressly, that she waited for my convoy. You remind me of the great expense the detention of the ship occasions. Who has given orders to stop her? It was not me. I had no authority to do it. Have you? And do you imagine, if you have taken such authority upon you, that the Congress ought to bear the expense occasioned by your imprudence? and that the blame of detaining the necessary stores the ship contains will be excused by your fond desire of carrying the money? The noise you have rashly made about this matter, contrary to the advice of Mr Adams, which you asked and received, and which was to comply with my requisition, has already done great mischief to our credit in Holland. Messrs Fizeaux have declared they will advance to him no more money on his bills upon me to assist in paying the Congress drafts on him. Your commodore, too, complains in a letter I have seen, that he finds it difficult to get money for my acceptances of your drafts in order to clear his ship, though before this proceeding of yours, bills on me were, as Mr Adams assures me, in as good credit on the Exchange of Amsterdam as those of any banker in Europe. I suppose the difficulty mentioned by the commodore is the true reason of the ship's stay, if in fact the convoy is gone without her. Credit is a delicate thing, capable of being blasted with a breath. The public talk you have occasioned about my stopping the money, and the conjectures of the reasons or necessity of doing it, have created doubts and suspicions of most pernicious consequences. It is a matter that should have passed in silence. You repeat as a reason for your conduct, that the money was obtained by the great exertions of Colonel Laurens. Who obtained the grant is a matter of no importance, though the use I propose to make of it is of the greatest. But the fact is not as you state it. I obtained it before he came. And if he were here I am sure I could convince him of the necessity of leaving it, especially after I should have informed him that you had made in Holland the enormous purchase of £40,000 sterling's worth of goods over and above the £10,000 worth, which I had agreed should be purchased by him on my credit; and that you had induced me to engage for the payment of your purchase by showing me a paper said to contain his order for making it, which I then took to be his handwriting, though I afterwards found it to be yours, and not signed by him. It would be additional reason with him when I should remind him that he himself, to induce me to come into the proposal of Commodore Guillon and the rest of the Holland transaction, to which I was averse, assured me he had mentioned it to the Minister, and that it was approved of. That on the contrary I find the Minister remembers nothing of it, very much dislikes it and absolutely refuses to furnish any money to discharge that amount. You finish your letter by telling me that 'the daily enhancement of expense to the United States from these difficulties is worthy the attention of those whose duty it is to economise the public money, and to whom the commonweal is entrusted without deranging the special department of another.' The ship's lying there with 500 or 600 men on board is undoubtedly a great daily expense, but it is you that occasion it; and the superior airs you give yourself, young gentleman, of reproof to me, and reminding me of my duty, do not become you, whose special department and employ in public affairs, of which you are so vain, is but of yesterday, and would never have existed but by my concurrence, and

would have ended in disgrace if I had not supported your enormous purchases by accepting your drafts. The charging me with want of economy is particularly improper in you, when the only instance you know of it is my having indiscreetly complied with your demand in advancing you 120 louis for the expense of your journeys to Paris, and when the only instance I know of your economizing money is your sending me three expresses one after another on the same day all the way from Holland to Paris, each with a letter saying the same thing to the same purpose. This dispute is as useless as it is unpleasant. It can only create ill blood. Pray let us end it. I have the honour to be, &c.

Benj. Franklin."

We have intimated above that Temple Franklin sometimes omitted important words and even sentences. Here is a case in point, where for some insufficient reason he printed a letter of his grandfather to Mr William Carmichael, dated 12th April, 1781, giving 'three —es' in the places of 'three names'. This was not fair, because it might throw suspicion on the wrong persons. Mr Sparks and Mr Bigelow were not able to fill up the chasms. A reference to the original manuscript supplies the names which are here printed in *italics*, thus removing suspicion from all others. "I thank you much for your friendly hints of the operations of my enemies, and of the means I might use to defeat them. Having in view at present no other point to gain but that of rest, I do not take their malice so much amiss, as it may further my project, and perhaps be some advantage to you. *Lee* and *Izard* are open, and so far honourable enemies; the *Adamsses*, if enemies, are more covered. I never did any of them the least injury, and can conceive no other source of their malice but envy. To be sure the excessive respect shown me here by all ranks of people, and the little notice taken of them, was a mortifying circumstance; but it was what I could neither prevent nor remedy. Those who feel pain at seeing others enjoy pleasure, and are unhappy, must meet daily with so many causes of torment, that I conceive them to be already in a state of damnation; and, on that account, I ought to drop all resentment with regard to those two gentlemen. But I cannot help being concerned at the mischief their ill tempers will be continually doing in our public affairs, whenever they have any concern in them."

The following unpublished letter of Franklin to Vergennes shows how adroitly the old and trusted philosopher could extricate the Congress and himself from an awkward position into which one of his colleagues had contrived to place them with the Court of France. Most of the correspondence was published by Temple Franklin, but this, the real key to the mystery, was wisely reserved by him and his publisher to help sweeten up their proposed Second Series:—

"Passy, August 3, 1780.

"Sir,—It was, indeed, with very great pleasure that I received the letter your Excellency did me the honour of writing to me, communicating that of the President of Congress, and the resolutions of that body relative to the succours then expected: for the sentiments therein expressed are so different from the language held by Mr. Adams in his late letters to your Excellency, as to make it clear that it was from his particular indiscretion alone, and not from any instructions received by him, that he has given such just cause of displeasure, and that it is impossible his conduct therein should be approved by his constituents. I am glad he has not admitted me to any participation of those writings, and that he has taken the resolution he expresses of not communicating with me, or making use of my intervention in his future correspondence; a resolution that I believe he will keep, as he has never yet communicated to me more of his business in Europe than I have seen in newspapers. I live upon terms of civility with him, not of intimacy. I shall, as you desire, lay before Congress the whole correspondence which you have sent me for that purpose. With the greatest and most sincere respect, I am sir, yours, &c. &c."

B. Franklin."

Mr Sparks, aware from Franklin's will and many other sources, that the papers had been brought to London by the grandson, sought earnestly for them when he was in England, about 1834, while editing his 10 vol. edition, but he found little to fill up or correct in Temple Franklin's six volumes, and nothing whatever of the papers intended for the second series of six volumes. Mr Sparks

returned believing them irrecoverably lost. He had no suspicion that they had been put aside for a second series.

In the preface to 'Franklin's Familiar Letters' Mr Sparks had previously written in 1833: "Few eminent men have been so unfortunate, in respect to the publications of their writings as Franklin. No edition of his works, nor of any part of them, except his early philosophical essays, was ever prepared by himself, or published under his own inspection. His letters and papers made their appearance from time to time, either as forced out by the interested motives of booksellers, or the importunity of friends. The papers left by him to his grandson were kept back from the public for more than twenty years after the author's death, and were at last compiled with little ability in the execution, or justice to the subject. It is moreover to be remembered, with extreme regret, that Franklin's letter books, embracing the entire period of his agency in England, throughout a space of almost twenty years, as well as other original papers, were lost by the negligence or treachery of the person to whose care he entrusted them when he went to France. A few letters to individuals, which have been collected, and short biographical memoranda of his own, relating to detached events afford all the materials that exist for a history of his official transactions and private opinions in the compass of that eventful portion of his life. Owing to a train of circumstances, which at one time were not well understood, but now admit of an easy and full explanation, the character of Franklin suffered in the hands of some of his later associates and contemporaries. Suspicions of his political integrity, and even of his private honesty, were scattered among the credulous, and produced impressions on the minds of many of his countrymen, which his brilliant name and great services have as yet hardly effaced. After a laborious enquiry into this matter, with no ordinary means of information, and opportunities of research, particularly in regard to his acts as Minister Plenipotentiary in France, and in negotiating the treaty of peace at the end of the war, I feel authorised to declare that his conduct admits of unqualified vindication; that so far from open censure, or the whispers of suspicion, he deserves the lasting praise and gratitude of his country for the manly, consistent, undeviating, honourable, and efficient course he pursued, in the face of numerous obstacles and embarrassments, during the whole nine years of his residence in France. His patriotism and fidelity to his trust were equalled only by his unrivalled talents and sagacity." This full vindication Mr Sparks endeavoured to present in his subsequent 10 volume edition from material derived mainly from the French Archives, but it must be confessed that his arguments fall somewhat short of the practical demonstration that may be drawn from Franklin's and Vergennes' own original unpublished manuscripts existing in the present collection.

In the year 1840 the 'Franklin Papers,' which had lain more than seventeen years on the top shelf of an old tailor's shop in St James's, in loose bundles (both those that had been to the printers and those reserved for the second instalment) were rescued by a gentleman who had known Temple Franklin a quarter of a century before, and had been a fellow lodger with him over the same tailor's shop. This gentleman, an officer under government, kept these manuscripts for ten or eleven years, fully appreciating his charge, but never finding sufficient leisure from his public duties to look them through. From time to time in his vacations he offered them in bulk to the British Museum, to Lord Palmerston, and to the successive American ministers in London, from 1840 to 1851. He knew nothing of the difficulties of Mr Colburn, or of the division of the papers into the two instalments of printed and not printed, but supposed and said that they had all probably been printed and published. For this reason the collection, though repeatedly offered, was as repeatedly declined at his fixed price.

In 1851 this gentleman again applied to the American minister, then Mr Abbott Lawrence, who at once appointed an interview. On hearing the gentleman's propositions Mr Lawrence frankly told him that he personally knew nothing of such matters, and moreover he had no power to purchase them for the government, but offered to give him a note of introduction to an American gentleman at Morley's who he thought would be likely to know all about the papers, and if they were worth securing, he would no doubt buy the collection. Mr Lawrence sent a messenger at once with a private note to his friend at

Morley's, and the gentleman turned up in the course of the day. Within three days thereafter the entire collection changed hands. It has been an expensive elephant in the present proprietor's menagerie ever since, for he has spent much time in arranging, repairing, restoring, collating and binding, together with copies and additions, to the extent of above £1000 beyond the original cost.

Mr Colburn, the publisher, was then living, and he kindly communicated to the writer the whole story of his negotiations with Temple Franklin, and the difficulties he had in getting from him the *copy* for the press. The work, when at last published, went off tolerably well, but the success fell far short of their expectations. Mr Colburn, after so many years of anxiety, had not the courage left to go over the labour again to extract from the dilatory editor the promised second instalment. He did not hear of Temple Franklin's death until some time after it took place, and then on enquiring for the papers they could not be traced. In 1833 Mr Colburn, without reprinting had to resort to the publisher's not unfrequent expedient of producing a *new edition*, simply by inserting new title-pages. Hence one may see by comparison with the *copy* that went to the printer, and still preserved, how the omissions, the cut-outs, the transpositions, the mutilations, and the many other defects of omission and commission in the first series, occurred; and as these volumes became the standard for future editors and historians one can readily see how much Dr Franklin has suffered from incomplete editorship: and hence also one can readily see how the loss of the second and more important series intended to remedy these defects, not only placed Dr Franklin in a false light, but gave a false colouring to American political history generally.

Mr Sparks reprinted Temple Franklin's *copy* as far as it aided him, but he could not get behind it, or fathom its suspicious omissions and other serious defects. He, however, had no suspicion that Temple Franklin's edition contained only half the works of Dr Franklin. Mr Sparks in the preface to his first volume gives an interesting account of the many sources of his new materials. He experienced great difficulties, but was rewarded with eminent success. He added, he says, about 650 articles, including letters and miscellaneous pieces, of which upwards of 460 had never before been printed. But he gained no clue to the real Franklin papers. Hence Sparks' edition, the fullest and best of all, is insufficient and defective wherever that of Temple Franklin fell short. It follows logically that not only the biography of Dr Franklin but the whole History of the Independency, the Revolutionary War, and the Organization of the Government of the United States has vastly suffered by the inexperience of editorship and the subsequent casualties which befel these important papers.

Death, however, excuses Temple Franklin, who, during his life, appears to have guarded his charge with pious reverence. We say *half* but that proves to be too low an estimate by recent cast-off of the original unpublished papers still in the present Franklin collection. The explanation appears to be this. Temple Franklin's six volume octavo edition of 1818 contains a large selection of Dr Franklin's philosophical and other papers previously printed, which made nearly half the work, the remaining half being mostly the earlier or the more personal and private portion of the original manuscripts never before printed. Hence it is clear that the second series of six volumes was to comprise the remaining scientific papers previously printed, the unpublished manuscripts covering the most important period of Franklin's career, the close of the war, the negotiations for the Peace, the Treaty, together with subsequent correspondence, say 1780-1785, enough in all to make five additional volumes the size of Sparks's. This in general, but the second series was designed to cover the whole period of the first series, so as to render the two a single and indivisible work, to be re-arranged and incorporated in new editions.

Besides this, almost every paper or letter printed for the first time from the original manuscript in Temple Franklin's editions requires explanation, revision and correction by the manuscripts. Sparks had not the opportunity to do this, but it can now be done from the identical *copy* used by Valpy the printer and still preserved in the collection. A single illustration will serve our purpose. Only half of Franklin's letter to Benjamin Vaughan of the 9th Nov. 1779, is given in the text by Temple Franklin, the other half having been scissored out and transferred to a note in the Autobiography, giving

further particulars of the history of the little London book *Liberty and Necessity*. Mr Sparks reprinted this important note and put the initials W. T. F. after it. Mr Bigelow also reprinted it and by some inadvertence substituted B in one edition, and Ed. in another (p. 179) in place of W. T. F. at the same time altering the name of Lyons (4) to Syms, of course a mere typographical error, but rendering a recurrence to the original manuscripts necessary, especially as there are hundreds of such variations by different editors.

These are some of the particulars respecting the Franklin Collection, but a more detailed account, with names and dates, can be supplied by Mr. Henry Stevens if needed. The Franklin Collection bought in 1851, comprises roughly:—

I. The original Records or Letter Books of the American Legation in Paris during the American Revolutionary War and subsequently, 1776-1785, including correspondence with the French Government. The negotiations for supplies to carry on the War, letters, papers, &c. relative to Paul Jones and his ventures and raids, Captain Cook and his Voyage of Discovery, privateering, negotiations for Peace, the Treaty, and correspondence with Holland, Russia, Spain, &c. &c.

II. Original Manuscripts by Franklin, his Essays, Miscellaneous Writings, private correspondence, squibs, bagatelles, &c.

III. Autobiography and biographical memoranda preparatory to the writing of his Life, with the history of his times to be published after his death.

IV. The original correspondence with the American Government or retained, or press copies, on public affairs. With many public and private letters to and from public and private citizens in America and elsewhere.

V. The original Petition of the Congress to the King in October, 1774, signed in duplicate by all the 50 Members of the Continental Congress, a document second only in interest and historical importance to the Declaration of Independence itself. This Petition setting forth all the grievances after the manner of the Declaration was signed by the Members in two copies. The President of the Congress sent both copies enclosed in a long letter to Franklin in London, by different ships. Franklin received both. The one he presented to the Minister for the King, and the other he kept. Both petitions are equally original. The Congress retained no copy with autograph signatures. The King's copy is now in Her Majesty's Public Record Office, the other is the gem of our Franklin Collection.

VI. The Hartley Correspondence. The Hutchinson Papers Correspondence. Speaker Cushing, of the Massachusetts General Court, his letters, &c.

VII. Records and Correspondence of the Commissioners on the part of England to negotiate the Treaty of 1783, together with copies of important State Papers, including a complete transcript of Oswald's Journal preserved in the Marquis of Lansdown's library.

VIII. Essays in form of Letters, on 'Perfumes' and 'Choice of a Mistress,' witty and explosive, but perhaps too Dean Swiftian for the press.

IX. The original Autograph Manuscript of Franklin's 'Articles of Belief and Acts of Religion.' In Two Parts.

Here will I hold. If there is a Power above us

(And that there is, all Nature cries aloud

Thro' all her Works) He must delight in Virtue—

And that which he delights in must be happy.—*Cato*.

Part I. Philada. Nov. 20, 1728, 16" bound in blue morocco by Bedford

This precious manuscript is believed to be the earliest Autograph we have of Franklin. There is another copy, a little larger, bound also in morocco, probably a few years later, but unfortunately wanting a few leaves, which have been filled in recently by the writer from the original copy.

X. The original Craven Street Letter Book somewhat mildewed and injured, but containing the original drafts or records of many important Letters, especially private and domestic ones; many to 'My dear Child,' his wife.

XI. The Draft of Franklin's famous letter to his friend Strahan the printer:

"Mr STRAHAN,

Philada. July 5, 1775.

"You are a Member of Parliament, and one of that majority which has doomed my Country to Destruction. You have begun to burn our Towns, and murder our People.—Look upon your Hands!—They are stained with the Blood of your Relations!—You and I were long Friends.—You are now my Enemy, and

I am, Yours,

B. FRANKLIN."

A large proportion of the above eleven lots was reserved for the Second Series by Temple Franklin and consequently never printed. To these acquired in 1851 have been added at considerable expense several important manuscripts which once belonged to the collection, but parted with probably as autographs.

It should perhaps be mentioned that very many of Dr Franklin's letters and papers are preserved in two, three, four or even five states, while in some cases there are discrepancies which may account for some slips that have been or may be attributed to bad editorship. These states or conditions of the papers may be called :—1. The rough draft in the hand of Dr Franklin, sometimes with many interlineations and corrections. 2. The fair copy by his private secretary or one of his clerks, frequently with corrections and alterations by Franklin before attaching his signature. 3. The press copy, a process said to be invented by Dr Franklin as early as 1777, or perhaps only improved in conjunction with Watt and his English patent press for copying. 4. The Record in the folio Letter Books, and 5. Sometimes there were two, or a second fair copy after the Doctor's first revision and correction, this being the document signed and despatched. In some cases this last document was subsequently transcribed and may have varied somewhat from all the others and thus lay the editor open to charges of inaccuracy. Generally, though not always, the press-copy was the last taken. In many cases the Collection contains three, four and sometimes the five states of the paper. All are important either for tracing variations or correcting errors. Besides these the Collection contains a great number of original Letters from Vergennes, Lafayette and others in French, as well as of Speaker Cushing and many others in English.

From time to time the manuscripts have been sorted, repaired, arranged, and a good number of them bound by Bedford in his best style in blue morocco. More recently they have been catalogued, arranged, copied, and cast off at an expense of £300, so that the collection is now in an advanced state for the editor. This cast off after the manner of the printer is so minute in the estimated number of words that by it and the catalogue of the 2938 papers one may estimate not only the entire bulk of the collection, but the printed and not printed portions of it. This summing up, taking Sparks' volumes as standards, amounts to this : about 2430 pages have never been printed, 1195 pages printed, but not always accurately, in Sparks ; 246 pages printed in the Diplomatic Correspondence, but not printed in Sparks, and about 300 pages printed both in Sparks and the Diplomatic Correspondence. This printing house estimate corresponds sufficiently near to that of the writer given above, that the unpublished matter is enough to fill five volumes of the size of Sparks' volumes. Besides the manuscripts, the proprietor of the collection has from time to time purchased at large expense many of Franklin's early and rarer publications, as well as most of the recent ones of his works and books relating to him. A separate list is appended of all these, numbered from 1 to 204, from which any one may see at a glance that the list contains almost all of the rare ones, such as

1. Poor Richard's Almanack 1740-1765, no less than 18 of them as described in our Nuggets together with later continuations.

2. Franklin's Pocket Almanacs, 32° 1742-1766, 20 of them between those years mostly perfect and in good order, probably a unique collection of anything like this extent.

3. Franklin's Pennsylvania Gazette, nearly eight years of this celebrated newspaper in fine condition, clean and mostly uncut, bound, in 2 thick volumes.

4. Franklin's General Magazine for Jan. Feb. and March, 1741, believed to be the first literary Monthly Magazine in English North America, in fine condition and bound in morocco extra to a Roger Payne pattern.

5. Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain, 1725, a fine copy in morocco by Bedford of the little free-book, written, composed and printed by Franklin himself while first in London at the age of 18. Only 100 copies were printed, and as he says in his autobiography mostly destroyed. Two copies only are now known to exist. This one, and one we formerly had, but turned out as a duplicate at Puttick and Simpson's. It was sold for £19 19s. and bought by Hotten against the British Museum. After Hotten's death in 1872, it was again sold there and fetched £22 10s., still against the bid of the British Museum. No edition of the Works of Franklin contained this rare little book until Mr Parton in 1864 reprinted it from a manuscript transcript from the present copy

supplied by the writer. That transcript by Mr Stevens, Mr Parton deposited in the library of the New York Historical Society. The copy noticed in Notes and Queries of Jan. 3, 1852, by Mr James Crossley, was the Irish reprint of 1733 (3)

6. Liberty and Necessity, Dublin 1733, 16 pages. This edition, or Irish reprint, is believed to be unique. It has just half the number of pages of the original Franklin Edition, being in smaller type.

7. Woolston's Religion of Nature, 4° London, 1725. Fine large paper copy in old red morocco extra; on this book Franklin worked as a compositor at Palmer's in 1725, and from it probably imbibed his shortlived free notions that appeared in his Liberty and Necessity. This is the only large paper copy known.

8. Cicero's Cato Major, or his Discourse of Old Age, a very fine, clean and perfectly uncut copy, and bound in blue morocco by Bedford, the finest copy known. B. Franklin, Philadelphia, 1744, 4° (see 56).

9. Dr Lyons's Infallibility of Human Judgment, 1724, 16° (see No. 4).

10. An Account of the New Invented Pennsylvania Fire Places, 1744 (see 57).

Besides these the Collection contains nearly 300 volumes of Franklin's earlier pieces, his books and pamphlets, &c., together with books concerning him, as per detailed separate list, occupying pages 162 to 176 of this catalogue, to which the patient reader is referred.

It has been the fashion of late to depreciate FRANKLIN, and to stigmatize his grandson, William Temple, more especially in Philadelphia, a proceeding which reminds one of the Bibliofilos Andaluces decrying the Life of Columbus as a fraud on Spain that owes, everybody knows, as much to the Great Discoverer, as Philadelphia owes to her Great Philosopher. But fortunately their shafts and poisoned arrows can all be parried by the simple truth of history. Franklin's points saved many of their houses, and his papers may yet save himself and confound his enemies. During the Revolutionary War Europe was overrun with Commissioners and Agents of the Congress, all of whom had to be fed and paid by Franklin. They hated him, though he was the only banker that could honour their drafts. When Franklin's works appeared in 1818, and enlarged by Sparks in 1836-40, with no personal vindication, his enemies and their descendants sought openly to elevate their own by depreciating Franklin. Correspondence of this sort about 1830 has appeared in the Magazine of American History. The unpublished personalities among the Franklin papers, it is believed, are abundant to dissipate and neutralize all these aspersions. Franklin, during his nine years' residence in Paris, devoted himself to the advancement of the cause he had espoused, and rarely permitted himself to notice the 'slings of outrageous fortune' by which he was surrounded. He continued to be the Banker of the Congress, and the provider of its army and navy. He had his spiteful little enemies at home and abroad, and knew it, yet generously fed them while they were biting his back. One would think by the way the moderns write that they are under the impression that the Old Philosopher had forgotten or neglected to book his observations. He however was not likely to omit recording the antidote to the transactions of his enemies. He could afford to wait. But all these are minor things in comparison with the collection itself, the sealed storehouse of American history, science, literature, biography and diplomacy. With all these unpublished manuscripts, and this unparalleled collection of printed books of and relating to Franklin, the Truth of History must come out.

FRANKLIN'S PRINTED WORKS, ETC.

A DISSERTATION on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain.

Whatever is, is in its Causes just
Since all Things are by Fate; but purblind Man
Sees but a part o' th' Chain, the nearest Link,
His Eyes not carrying to the equal Beam
That poises all above.

DRYD.

London: Printed in the year 1725, 32 pp. blue morocco by Bedford. 8° (N° 1)
Dr. Franklin in his Autobiography, does not quote the lines from Dryden the same as given here in the motto.

THE RELIGION of Nature Delineated [2 Greek mottos and the vignette, a printing press]. London : Printed by Samuel Palmer, in Bartholomew Close, and Sold by B. Lintot, W. and J. Innys, J. Osborn and T. Longman, and J. Battey, 1726. 219 pp. signed at end by the author WILLIAM WOLLASTON, followed by one blank page ; Index, 11 pages not numbered. Splendid copy on LARGE and THICK PAPER, in old red morocco gilt edges. royal 4°

On this book Franklin worked while with Palmer in 1725. The general style is similar, and the identical woodcut on the title of this volume appeared at the end of Franklin's Dissertation on Liberty and Necessity. See Autobiography. (2)

A DISSERTATION on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain. In a Letter to a Friend. [Motto as above.] Dublin : Printed in the year 1733, 16 pp. 8° (3)

Dr. Franklin, in his Autobiography says, "At Palmer's [in Bartholomew Close] I was employed in composing for the second edition of Wollaston's "Religion of Nature." Some of his reasonings not appearing to me well founded, I wrote a little metaphysical piece, in which I made remarks on them. It was entitled "*a Dissertation on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain.*" I inscribed it to my friend Ralph; I printed a small number. . . . My printing this pamphlet was another *erratum*. In another place Franklin says he printed only 100 copies, of which he gave a few away and burnt the rest. No mention is made of this Dublin reprint.

THE INFALLIBILITY of Human Judgment, Its Dignity and Excellency. Being a new Art of Reasoning, and discovering Truth, by reducing all disputable Cases to general and self-evident Propositions, etc. With The Supplement, answering all Objections, etc. The Fourth edition. To which is now added a Postscript, etc. By Mr. Lyons. London, J. Brotherton, 1724, 6 prelim. leaves and 252 pp. 16° (4)

Pages 209-240 are occupied by "A dissertation on Liberty and Necessity." Dr. Franklin in his Autobiography says, "My pamphlet ['A dissertation on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain'] by some means falling into the hands of one Lyons, a surgeon, author of a book entitled, 'The Infallibility of Human Judgment,' it occasioned an acquaintance between us. He took great notice of me, called on me often to converse on those subjects, carried me to the Horns, a pale alehouse in — Lane, Cheapside, and introduced me to Dr. Mandeville, author of the 'Fable of the Bees,' who had a club there, of which he was the soul, being a most facetious, entertaining companion; Lyons, too, introduced me to Dr. Pemberton, at Batson's Coffee-house, who promised to give me an opportunity, some time or other, of seeing Sir Isaac Newton, of which I was extremely desirous; but this never happened." Franklin was at this time a boy of nineteen.

POOR RICHARD, 1733. An Almanack for the year of Christ 1733. Philadelphia : B. Franklin [1732] Reprint. 8° (5)

THE PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE, October 11, 1739. Numb. 565 to Dec. 27, 1739. Numb. 576 [weekly] containing the freshest Advises foreign and domestic [Colophon] Philadelphia : Printed by B. Franklin, Post-Master, at the New-Printing-Office near the Market, price 10s. a year, Where Advertisements are taken in, and Book-Binding is done reasonably, in the best Manner. 4 pages to a number. Eleven numbers complete in 1739. 4° (6)

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1740, No. 577 to 628, 52 Nos. complete. 4°

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1741, No. 629 to 681, 53 Nos. complete. 4°

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1744, No. 786 Jan. 3 to 837, 52 Nos. wanting 816, 821, 823, 825 and 828. f°

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1745, No. 838 to 890, 53 Nos. wanting 851, last half of 875 and 879. f°

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1746, No. 891 to 942, 52 Nos. wanting 912, 23, 25, 27, 33 and 934. f°

The Penn. Gazette, etc. 1747, No. 943 to 994, 52 Nos. wanting 947, 51, 69 & 978. f°

The Pennsylvania Gazette, etc. 1748, No. 995 to 1046, Dec. 27, 52 Nos. wanting 1018 and 1035. f°

The number 996 for Jan. 12, 1748, N.S. has this Colophon "Philadelphia : Printed by B. Franklin, Post-Master, and D. Hall, at the New-Printing-

Office, near the Market," and so on to the end without change. The papers usually contain 4 pages, but there are many supplements, advertising sheets or half sheets, and double numbers. Barring the 20 Numbers wanting as stated the whole of these two series of 377 numbers are in excellent condition.

- POOR RICHARD, 1740. An Almanack for the Year of Christ 1740, Being Leap Year, etc. etc. Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian of Five Hours West from London, but may without sensible Error, serve all the adjacent Places, even from Newfoundland to South-Carolina. By Richard Saunders, Philom. Philadelphia : Printed and sold by B. Franklin at the New Printing Office near the Market. 24 pp. wanting lower half of title, the upper half of 2d leaf and the last 3 leaves. 12° (7)
- Poor Richard, 1741. An Almanack, etc. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. 12° (8)
- Poor Richard, 1742. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. wanting title and next leaf. 12° (9)
- Poor Richard, 1743. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. wanting last leaf. 12° (10)
- Poor Richard improved, 1748. Phil. B. Franklin, 36 pp. 1st Edition, wants last leaf. 12° (11)
- Poor Richard improved, 1750. Phil. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 36 pp. 12° (12)
- Poor Richard improved, 1752. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 36 pp. 12° (13)
- Poor Richard improved, 1754. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. wants last leaf. 12° (14)
- Poor Richard improved, 1756. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. the 12th and 18th leaves are mutilated. 12° (15)
- Poor Richard improved, 1757. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 36 pp. wants last 3 leaves. 12° (16)
- Poor Richard improved, 1758. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. fine copy of the rarest and best of all Poor Richard's Almanacs, with the proverbs collected in a speech. [See Stevens' Nuggets, No. 110] 12° (17)
- Poor Richard improved, 1759. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. wants last 2 leaves (18)
- Poor Richard improved, 1761. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. fine copy. 12° (19)
- Poor Richard improved, 1762. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. 12° (20)
- Poor Richard improved, 1763. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. 12° (21)
- Poor Richard improved, 1764. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 32 pp. 12° (22)
- Poor Richard improved, 1765. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 36 pp. 12° (23)
- This is believed to be the last almanac that bore Franklin's name, Continued as
- Poor Richard improved, 1767. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (24)
- Poor Richard improved, 1768. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (25)
- Poor Richard improved, 1775. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (26)
- Poor Richard improved, 1780. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 3 leaves mutil. 12° (27)
- Poor Richard improved, 1781. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (28)
- Poor Richard improved, 1782. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. title torn. 12° (29)
- Poor Richard improved, 1783. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (30)
- Poor Richard improved, 1784. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 36 pp. 12° (31)
- Poor Richard improved, 1790. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 40 pp. 12° (32)
- Poor Richard improved, 1792. By R. Saunders. Phil. Hall & Sellers, 44 pp. 12° (33)
- THE GENERAL Magazine, and Historical Chronicle, For all the British Plantations in America. [To be continued Monthly.] January, 1741 [Large Woodcut, the Prince of Wales' Feathers] vol. I. Philadelphia : Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. N° 1, title and 74 pp. ; N° II, for Feb. 1741, pp. 75-146 ; Num. III, for March 1741, pp. 147 to 216. Splendid copy, handsomely printed, some leaves rather closely cut. Sumptuously bound by Pratt in blue Venetian grained morocco extra to a Roger Payne pattern. Six Numbers only were published, as appears by the announcements in Franklin's Pennsylvania Gazette for 1741. Published at 9d. currency a number. We know not of a perfect set. 12° (34)
- AN APPENDIX ; Containing a Summary of such Acts of Assembly As have been formerly in Force within this Province, for Regulating of Descents, and Transferring the Property of Lands, &c. But since expired, altered or repealed. Philadelphia : Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLII, title, reverse blank, Advertisement to the Reader [by B. Franklin?] pp. iii & iv. text pp. 1-16 (wanting all after). f° (35)

A POCKET / Almanack / For the Year 1742. / Fitted for the Use of Penn- / syl-
vania, and the neigh- / bouring Provinces. / By Richard Saunders, Phil. /
Philadelphia : / Printed by B. Franklin. / 16 pp. 32° (36)

Also the same for the following years.

- A Pocket Almanack, etc. for 1743. Phil. B. Franklin, 16 pp. 32° (37)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1744. With several useful Addns. Phil. B. F. 24 pp. 32° (38)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1745. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. 32° (39)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1746. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. 32° (40)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1747. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. 32° (41)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1748. Phil. B. Franklin, 24 pp. 32° (42)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1749. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (43)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1750. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (44)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1751. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (45)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1752. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (46)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1753. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (47)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1754. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (48)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1755. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (49)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1756. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (50)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1757. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (51)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1758. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (52)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1764. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (53)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1765. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (54)
 A Pocket Almanack, for 1766. Phil. B. Franklin & D. Hall, 24 pp. 32° (55)
 M. T. CICERO's Cato Major, or his Discourse of Old-Age : With Explanatory
 Notes. Philadelphia : Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, 1744. Title, In-
 troduction, Index to Notes viii, and 159 pp. fine copy, uncut, blue morocco
 extra, gilt edges by F. Bedford. 4° (56)
 AN ACCOUNT of the New-Invented Pennsylvania Fire Places ; wherein their
 construction and manner of Operation is particularly explained ; their ad-
 vantages above any other method of warming rooms demonstrated, etc.
 And a copperplate, in which the several parts of the machine are exactly
 laid down from a scale of equal parts. Philadelphia, B. Franklin, 1744,
 37 pp. 8°. (57)
 EXPERIMENTS and Observations on Electricity made at Philadelphia, in America.
 By Mr. Benjamin Franklin, Esq. London : E. Cave, 1751, plates, 4° (58)
 SUPPLEMENTAL Experiments and Observations on Electricity, Part II. made
 at Philadelphia in America. By Benjamin Franklin, Esq. and Communi-
 cated in several Letters to P. Collinson, Esq. of London, F.R.S. London :
 E. Cave, 1753, title and pp. 89 to 107, sewn. 4° (59)
 AN HISTORICAL Review of the Constitution and Government of Pennsylvania,
 from its Origin ; So far as regards the several Points of Controversy, which
 have, from Time to Time, arisen between the several Governors of that
 Province, and their several Assemblies. Founded on Authentic documents.
 London, R. Griffiths, 1759. [Generally attributed to Dr. Franklin, but
 disowned by him in his letter to David Hume, the historian, the 27th
 Sept. 1760. Sparks, vii, 208.] viii, 18 and 444 pp. [This copy belonged to
 the Penn Family and has many manuscript notes by the Proprietor,
 Thomas Penn.] 8° (60)
 NEW Experiments and Observations on Electricity. Made at Philadelphia in
 America. By Benjamin Franklin, Esq. and Communicated in several
 letters to Peter Collinson, Esq. of London, F.R.S. Part I, 3d edition 1760,
 86 pp. Part II, 3d edition 1762, pp. 87-110. Part III, (1st edition) 1754,
 iv and iii to 154, in 1 vol. London : D. Henry and R. Cave, 1760-62-54,
 sewn, uncut. 4° (61)
 THE INTEREST of Great Britain Considered, with Regard to her Colonies, And
 the Acquisitions of Canada and Guadaloupe. To which are added, Obser-
 vations concerning the Increase of Mankind, Peopling of Countries, etc.
 [By Benjamin Franklin]. London, T. Becket, 1760, title and 58 pp. 8° (62)
 THE INTEREST of Great Britain, etc. The Second Edition. London, T. Becket,
 1761, title and 58 pp. 8° (63)
 AN ANSWER to Mr. Franklin's Remarks, on a late Protest. Philadelphia :
 Printed and Sold by William Bradford 1764, 22 pp. 8° (64)

- PHYSICAL** and Meteorological Observations, Conjectures, and Suppositions, By Benjamin Franklin, LL.D. F.R.S. Read at the Royal Society, June 3, 1756. London : Printed in the Year 1766, 15 pp. uncut. 4° (65)
- THE NEW** London Gazette [extra] No. 152 for Oct. 10, 1766. The Examination of Dr. Franklin before an August Assembly, relating to the Repeal of the Stamp Act, 2 pp. of 3 columns each. sm. f° (66)
- THE EXAMINATION** of Dr. Benjamin Franklin before an Honourable Assembly, relative to the Repeal of the American Stamp Act, in 1766. London, 1766. 50 pp. 8° (67)
- INTERROGATOIRE** de Mr. Franklin Député de Pensilvanie au Parlement de la Grande Bretagne. Traduit de l'Anglois par Ch . . . D. H . . . Maître de la langue Anglois à Strasbourg. A Strasbourg, Simon Kürsner [1767?] 35 pp. half roan. 8° (68)
- EXPERIMENTS** and Observations on Electricity, made at Philadelphia in America, by B. Franklin, LL.D. and F.R.S. to which is added Letters and Papers on Philosophical Subjects. The whole corrected, methodized, improved, and now first collected into one volume, and illustrated with copperplates. London : David Henry, 1769, plates, iv, 496 pp. and Index, old calf. 4° (69)
- A PARABLE** against Persecution, in Imitation of Scripture Language. A small quarto leaf so printed as to be inserted at the end of Genesis as Chapter 51st, the only copy known. Mutilated and worn [1770?] (70)
- REPORT** of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations on the Petition of the Honourable Thomas Walpole, Benjamin Franklin, John Sargent, and Samuel Wharton, Esquires, and their Associates; for a Grant of Lands on the River Ohio, in North America: for the purpose of Erecting a new Government. With Observations and Remarks. London: J. Almon, 1772, 109 pp. uncut, sewn. 8° (71)
- ŒUVRES** de M. Franklin, Traduites de l'Anglois sur la quatrième édition. Par M. Barbeau Dubourg, avec des additions nouvelles et des Figures en Taille douce. Paris, 1773, 2 Tom. in 1, blue morocco extra by Bedford. 4° (72)
- COPY** of Letters sent to Great Britain, by His Excellency Thomas Hutchinson, the Hon. Andrew Oliver, and several other Persons, born and educated among us. Which original Letters have been returned to America [by Dr. Franklin] and laid before the honourable House of Representatives of this Province. In which (notwithstanding his Excellency's Declaration to the House, that the Tendency and Design of them was not to subvert the Constitution, but rather to preserve it entire) the judicious Reader will discover the fatal source of the Confusion and Bloodshed in which this Province especially has been involved, and which threatened total Destruction to the Liberties of all America. Boston: Edes & Gill, 1773, 40 pp. 8° (73)
- THE REPRESENTATIONS** of Gov. Hutchinson and others, contained in certain Letters Transmitted to England, And afterwards returned from thence [by Dr. Franklin] and laid before the General Assembly of the Massachusetts-Bay. Together with the Resolves of the two Houses thereon. Boston: Edes & Gill, 1773, title and 94 pp. 8° (74)
- THE LETTERS** of Gov. Hutchinson and Lt. Gov. Oliver, &c. Printed at Boston. And Remarks thereon. With the Assembly's Address, and the Proceedings of the Lords Committee of Council. Together with the Substance of Mr. Wedderburn's Speech relating to those Letters. London: J. Wilkie, 1774, title and 134 pp. 8° (75)
- THE LETTERS** of Gov. Hutchinson, and Lt. Gov. Oliver, &c. Printed at Boston. And remarks thereon. With the Assembly's Address, And the Proceedings of the Lords Committee of Council. Together with the Substance of Mr. Wedderburn's Speech relating to those Letters. And the Report of the Lords Committee to his Majesty in Council. The second edition. London: J. Wilkie, 1774, half-title, title and 142 pp. 8° (76)
- EXPERIMENTS** and Observations on Electricity, made at Philadelphia in America, by B. Franklin, to which are added Letters and Papers on Philosophical Subjects. 5th Edition. London, F. Newbery, 1774, plates, title and preface v, text 514 pp. index, blue morocco extra, g. e. by F. Bedford. 4° (77)
- PRINCIPLES** of Trade. Freedom and Protection are its best Support: Industry, the only Means to render Manufactures cheap. Of Coins; Exchange; and

Bountys; particularly on Corn. By a Well-Wisher to his King and Country. With an Appendix. Containing Reflections on Gold, Silver, and Paper passing as Money. The Second Edition corrected and enlarg'd. London, Brotherton and Sewell, MDCCLXXIV. 3 prel. leaves and 48 pp. 'Appendix' 16 pp. old tree calf. 8° (78)

This copy once belonged to William Vaughan, who has written on its fly leaf "N.B. The Notes by Dr. Franklin. The information given by Sewell, to W. V."

JOURNAL of the Proceedings of the Congress held at Philadelphia Sept. 5, 1774, containing the Bill of Rights, a List of Grievances, &c. To which is added (being now first printed by authority) an authentic Copy of the PETITION TO THE KING. London, J. Almon, 1775. 8° (79)

Dr. Franklin, about the 15th or 16th of Dec. 1774, received these Proceedings of the Congress, with the Petition to the King dated the 26th October previous. The times were growing very serious, and it was thought best to let Almon publish them immediately. The effect was startling, for the pamphlet proclaimed to the discriminating British public (if there was at that time such a body) that the English language had acquired new vigour and clearness in being transplanted to the Western shores. The pith, point and soundness of these public papers astonished the statesmen and confounded the politicians, and at the same time delighted the friends of the Colonies particularly Lord Chatham and Lord Camden. But the ministry were bomb proof. For a full account of the negotiations that immediately followed through Lady Howe and her brother see Franklin's long letter to his son dated 22 March, 1775, on shipboard bound for home. The original Petition of the Congress, from which the above was printed, containing the signatures of 50 of the Delegates, after the manner of the Declaration of Independence, and second only to that immortal Paper, belongs now to Mr. Stevens' Franklin Collection.

THE WAY to Wealth, As clearly shewn in the Preface of an old Pennsylvanian Almanack [1758], intitled, Poor Richard Improved. By Richard Saunders [London, 1775?] 8 pp. 8° (80)

AN HUMBLE Address and earnest Appeal . . . whether a connection with or a separation from the Continental Colonies of America be most for the National Advantage and lasting benefit of these kingdoms. The third edition corrected. By Josiah Tucker, D.D. Dean of Gloucester. London, T. Cadell, 1776, 96 pp. with folding sheet at page 49. 8° (81)

Dean Tucker, in his first edition, attacked Dr. Franklin with clerical indiscretion, for which the Doctor called upon him for his authorities, and to verify his statements. The correspondence is crisp, polite and spicy. In the 2nd edition the Dean simply omitted the offensive charges and made no explanation or apology. In this 3rd edition, being badgered by the friends of Franklin, who had himself returned to America, the Dean explains, but his explanation seems as lame and crooked as his former charges.

THOUGHTS on the present State of Affairs with America, and the Means of Conciliation. By William Pultney, Esq. The Fourth Edition [Refers to the Congress at Albany in 1754, & in Appendix No. 1 reprints Letters of Dr. Franklin taken from the London Chronicle of the 6th to 8th of Feb. 1766]. London, J. Dodsley, 1778, title and 102 pp. 8° (82)

THOUGHTS on the present State of Affairs with America, and the Means of Conciliation. By William Pultney. Fifth Edition [with an Appendix, No. III, a Corrective Letter from Dr. Franklin, dated Passy, March 12, 1778.] London, J. Dodsley, 1778, 111 pp. 8° (83)

LA SCIENCE du Bonhomme Richard, ou le moyen facile de payer les Impôts dans les possessions de l'Amérique Angloise [contents on the title page] 166 pp. half old calf, perfectly UNCUT. Philadelphie, et se trouve à Lausanne chez François Grasset & Comp. 1778. 12° (84)

LA SCIENCE du Bonhomme Richard, moyen facile de payer les impôts. Traduit de l'Anglois. Troisième édition, exactement semblable à la première. A Philadelphie. Se vend à Paris chez Ruault, 1778 [woodcut vignette] 151 pp. and Livres, etc. 5 pp. 12° (85)

M. T. CICERO's Cato Major, or discourse on Old Age. Addressed to Titus Pomponius Atticus. With explanatory notes. By Benj. Franklin, LL.D. London: Fielding & Walker, 1778, sewn, title, introduction and index iv and text 163 pp. 8° (86)

POLITICAL, Miscellaneous, and Philosophical Pieces; Now first collected, With Explanatory Plates, Notes, And an Index to the whole. [Edited by Benjamin Vaughan.] London: J. Johnson, 1779, xi, text, appendix and index with addenda, 574 pp. portrait, plates, large paper, blue morocco extra, gilt edges by F. Bedford. 8° (87)

POLITICAL, Miscellaneous, and Philosophical Pieces: arranged under the following Heads, &c. Written by Benj. Franklin, LL.D. and F.R.S. etc. Now first collected, with explanatory Plates, Notes and an Index [Edited by Benjamin Vaughan] London, J. Johnson, 1779, portrait (88)

This copy has the autograph of S. Knight on the title page, and under the portrait in the same handwriting,

Eripuit cœlo fulmen, sceptrumq; Tyrannis,
and underneath in the same hand, but with different pen and ink,
Eripuitq; Jovi fulmen, *sceptrumq;* Tonanti
viresque Lucretius
Manilius

REMARKS on the Rescript of the Court of Madrid and on the Manifesto of the Court of Versailles. In a Letter to the Court of Great Britain. To which is added an Appendix, containing the Rescript, the Manifesto, and a Memorial of Dr. Franklin to the Court of Versailles. London, T. Cadell, 1779, viii and 91 pp. 8° (89)

Franklin's memorial occupies pages 88 to 91. It had already been printed by Almon, who omitted about one quarter of it.

LA CASSETTE Verte de Monsieur de Sartine, trouvée chez Mademoiselle du Thé (Cinquième édition) revuë & corrigée sur celles de Leipsic & l'Amsterdam. A La Haye: Veuve Whiskerfeld, 1779, half-title, title and 71 pp. [Franklin concerned]. 8° (90)

THE GREEN Box of Monsieur de Sartine, found at Mademoiselle Du Thé's lodgings. From the French of the Hague edition; revised and corrected by those of Leipsic and Amsterdam. [By Mr. Tickell.] London, Becket, 1779. 8° (91)

TWO LETTERS from Dr. Franklin, to the Earl of Shelburne, "Government is the Art of Oppression with Impunity." London: M. Folingsby and J. Debrett [1782] ii and 31 pp. sewn. 8° (92)

NUMB. 705. Supplement to the Boston Independent Chronicle, Mch. 1782. f° (93)

This is a skit on the Great British Public, being a close imitation of a Boston newspaper, with letter from Paul Jones, British Advertisements for Scalps, and account of bundles of Scalps of the Americans consigned by the Indians in British pay to Agents in London, all of which fell into the hands of the Yankees and hence this exposure in the newspaper. This "Supplement," printed by Franklin at his private press at Passy, is believed to be unique.

PROVISIONAL Articles, Signed at Paris, the 30th of November, 1782, by the Commissioner of His Britannic Majesty, and the Commissioners of the United States of America. Published by Authority. London: T. Harrison and S. Brooke, 1783. Signed by Richard Oswald, John Adams, B. Franklin, John Jay and Henry Laurens. Witnesses, Caleb Whitefoord and W. T. Franklin, 8 pp. 4° (94)

FRAGMENT de Xénophon, Nouvellement trouvé dans les Ruines de Palmyre, par un Anglois; & déposé au Museum Britannicum, à Londres. Traduit du Grec, par un François; Et lu à l'Assemblée publique du Musée de Paris, du jeudi 6 Mars 1783. A Paris, De l'Imprimerie de Ph.-D. Pierres, Imprimeur Ordinaire du Roi, 1783, 52 pp. calf extra. 32° (95)

Mostly about Franklin, probably a take-off of Sir William Jones's pretended Fragment of Polybius which he showed to Doctor Franklin to hint a treaty of Peace with Great Britain.

- OPERE Politiche di Beniamine Franklin, LL.D. F.R.S. nuovamente raccolte e dall' Originale Inglese recate nella lingua Italiana. Padova, 1783, portrait, viii and 287 pp. uncut, stitched. 8° (96)
- ADDRESS and Recommendations to the States, by the United States in Congress assembled. Phil. printed; Boston Reprinted by order of the House of Representatives of Massachusetts, 1783. [Papers No. 4 & 5 show in a very frank and clear manner how and to what an enormous amount Dr. Franklin raised the sinews of war for America in France.] 8° (97)
- ADDRESS & Recommendations to the States. Another edition with Connecticut additions. Hartford, 1783. 4° (98)
- REMARKS concerning the Savages of North America [By Dr. Franklin]. Birmingham, 1784. 8° (99)
- TWO Tracts: information to those who would remove to America. And, Remarks concerning the Savages of North America. By Dr. Benjamin Franklin. Second Edition. London: John Stockdale, 1784, 39 pp. 8° (100)
- TWO TRACTS: Information to those who would remove to America. And remarks concerning the Savages of North America. Third Edition. London: John Stockdale, 1784, 39 pp. half roan. 8° (101)
- OSSERVAZIONE a chiunque desideri passare in America; e riflessioni circa i selvaggi dell' America settentrionale del Dre. Franklin dall' originale Inglese regate in lingua Italiana da Pietro Antoricutti. Padova, Gio. Antonio Conzatti, 1785, 38 pp. half morocco. 8° (102)
- REPORT of Dr. B. Franklin, and other Commissioners, charged by the King of France with the examination of the Animal-Magnetism, as now practised at Paris. Translated from the French with an Historical Introduction. London, J. Johnson, 1785, 108 pp. blue morocco extra, gilt edges by F. Bedford. 8° (103)
- OBSERVATIONS on a late publication intituled, Thoughts on Executive Justice: To which is added, A Letter [from Benjamin Franklin] containing remarks on the same work. London: T. Cadell, 1786, 162 pp. 16° (104)
- The Letter from a Gentleman abroad [Dr. Franklin] fills pages 137 to 162, dated March 14, 1785, and signed at end "ever yours * * *."
- OBSERVATIONS on the Causes and Cure of Smoky Chimneys. In a Letter to Dr. Ingen-Housz, Physician to the Emperor, at Vienna. Second Edition. Philadelphia Printed; London: Re-Printed for J. Debrett, 1787, 56 pp. and 1 plate, clean and uncut. 8° (105)
- JOSEPH and Benjamin, a Conversation. Translated from a French Manuscript. London: printed at the Logographic Press [of J. Walter] for J. Murray, No. 32, Fleet Street, 1787, xvi and 238 pp. 12° (106)
- Joseph II, Emperor of Germany, and Dr. Benjamin Franklin.
- PLAN of the new Constitution for the United States of America, agreed upon in a Convention of the States. With a Preface by the Editor. London: J. Debrett, 1787, 30 pp. 8° (107)
- The London editor at the end of his preface has this note: "Some of the London Newspapers mentioned a strong opposition between General Washington and Dr. Franklin for the Presidency [of the Convention] and that Gen. Washington was elected by a majority of one Vote. We have authority to contradict this account. The fact is, that Gen. Washington was elected with *one voice*, and not by a majority of one. Dr. Franklin, as the senior person of the Convention, and who is already President of the State of Pennsylvania, was the Member who put Gen. Washington into nomination, and he was conducted to the chair with a unanimous voice."
- PHILOSOPHICAL and Miscellaneous Papers. Lately written by B. Franklin. London: C. Dilly, 1787, plates, 3 prel. leaves and 186 pp. uncut. 8° (108)
- HYDRAULIC and Nautical Observations on the currents in the Atlantic Ocean, forming a hypotheticalal theorem for investigation. With a corresponding Chart of the Ocean. Addressed to navigators By Governor Pownall, F.R.S. & F.S.A. To which are annexed some Notes by Dr. Franklin. London: Robert Sayer, 1787, 17 pp. with large Chart of the Atlantic Ocean. 4° (109)

- DISSERTATION on the English Language. To which is added an Essay on a reformed mode of Spelling, with Dr. Franklin's Arguments on that subject. By Noah Webster. [Dedicated to Dr. Franklin]. Boston: Isaiah Thomas, 1789 [Franklin's letter to Miss Stephenson, dated Sept. 28, 1768, Craven St. London]. 8° (110)
- ELOGE Civique de Benjamin Franklin, Prononcé le 21 Juillet 1790, dans la Rotonde, au nom de la Commune de Paris, par M. l'Abbé Fauchet. Paris, J. R. Lottin, 1790, title and 50 pp. 8° (111)
- MEMOIRS of the late Dr. B. Franklin: with a review of his Pamphlet, entitled "Information to those who would wish to remove to America." London: Printed and sold for the Author by A. Grant, etc. 1790, 94 pp. 8° (112)
- This first memoir of Franklin after his death was written by no friendly hand. Many of the anonymous writer's unjust and erroneous statements soon found their way into other books and other biographical sketches. As usual, prompt lies are so difficult to eradicate that to this day most of the scandal that has found its way into type is traceable to this early volume.
- COLUMBIAN Magazine (Sept. 1786 to June '90) vol. i to iv; then, The Universal Asylum and Columbian Magazine, vol. v to ix (July 1790 to Dec. 1792). Phil. 1786-92. 8° (113)
- Dr. Franklin died April, 1790. In the May number of this Magazine there began on page 268, vol. iv, a biographical sketch of Franklin of considerable merit, intended probably as a continuation of the Dr.'s Autobiography which had not then been printed, and was continued in the numbers for June, July, September, October, November, 1790; February, March, May and June, 1791, vol. v. The interesting work broke off here unfinished, with an intimation that it would be finished in the next number, but it never was. This is probably accounted for by an obituary article in the May number of 1792, page 293, in which is given a notice of Dr. Henry Stuber. "This publication is indebted to him for many interesting communications, and more particularly for the greater part of the Life of that eminently useful man Dr. Franklin which appeared in the Asylum not long after his death." These papers, frequently reprinted are generally called "Stuber's Life of Franklin," but it now appears that he contributed not the whole but "the greater part." Further on the editor speaks of Dr. Stuber's "premature death before he had attained his 24th year."
- MEMOIRS de la vie privée de Benjamin Franklin, écrits par lui-même, et adressés à son fils; Suivies d'un Précis historique de sa Vie politique, et de plusieurs Pièces, relatives à ce Père de la Liberté. Paris, Buisson, 1791, 2 parts in 1, 156 and 207 pp. sewn. 8° (114)
- ELOGE de M. Franklin lu à la Séance publique de l'Académie des Sciences, le 13 Nov. 1790. [By M. J. A. N. Caritat, Marquis de Condorcet.] Paris, 1791. 8° (115)
- EULOGIUM on B. Franklin, LL.D. March 1, 1791, in Philadelphia, before both Houses of Congress, and the American Philosophical Society, &c. By William Smith, D.D. London: T. Cadell, 1792, 39 pp. blue morocco extra, gilt edges by F. Bedford. 8° (116)
- BENJAMIN FRANKLIN's Jugendjahre, von ihm selbst sur seinen Sohn beschrieben und übersetzt von Gottfried August Bürger. Berlin, H. A. Rottmann, 1792, 214 pp. large paper copy, sewn. 12° (117)
- RULES for Reducing a great Empire to a small one. By the late Benjamin Franklin, etc. London, James Ridgeway, 1793, 16 pp. 8° (118)
- WORKS of the late Doctor Benjamin Franklin: Consisting of his Life written by himself, together with Essays, humorous, moral & literary. Chiefly in the manner of the Spectator. London: G. G. J. and J. Robinson, 1793. In 2 volumes. Vol. I, xii and 317 pp. uncut; vol. II, viii and 268 pp. engraved title with wolf-skin cap and spectacles portrait. 8° (119)
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work the editor, Dr. Price, for the first time supplements Franklin's Autobiography to 1731, translated from Buisson's French edition of 1791 (itself a translation of the original English) with a reprint of the Life of Franklin in the Columbian Magazine. The editor here on page 191 assigns this without qualification to Dr. Stuber, and so it has passed through many editions, before and since W. T. Franklin's corrected edition. Dr. Price died in 1791, but the work was held back two years in deference to the rights of Temple Franklin, who was expected to issue soon the full and genuine Autobiography to 1757, which Dr. Price in his Letter printed at the end of the preface said he had seen.

WORKS of the late Doctor Benjamin Franklin: Consisting of his Life written by himself, together with Essays, etc. Dublin: Printed for P. Wogan, P. Byrne, J. Moore, and W. Jones, 1793, very curious portrait, viii and 303 pp. 8° (120)

THE PRIVATE Life of the late Benjamin Franklin, LL.D. Late Minister & Plenipotentiary from the United States of America to France, etc. & Originally written by himself. And now translated from the French. To which are added, some account of his public life, a variety of anecdotes concerning him, by M. M. Brissot, Condorcet, Rochefoucault, Le Roy, &c. &c. And the Eulogium of M. Fauchet. London: J. Parsons, 1793, xvi and 324 pp. clean and uncut, boards. 8° (121)

This edition by Parsons is another and probably authorized translation into English from the French translation of the original manuscript in the English of Franklin published by Buisson at Paris in 1791. Both this and Robinson's edition were held back nearly two years waiting for Temple Franklin's authorized work. They are different re-translations.

WORKS of the late Doctor Benjamin Franklin. Consisting of his life written by himself, together with Essays, humorous, moral & literary. In the manner of the Spectator. Third edition. London: G. G. J. and J. Robinson [1794], vol. I, 317 pp.; vol. II, 290 pp.; 2 vol. tree marbled calf gilt. 8° (122)

INFORMATION to those who would remove to America. By Dr. Benjamin Franklin. London: M. Gurney, 1794, 23 pp. sewn. 8° (123)

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THE WORKS of the late Dr. Benjamin Franklin, consisting of his Life Written by himself. Together with Essays Humorous, Moral, & Literary, chiefly in the manner of the Spectator. New York, Printed by Tiebout & Obrian for H. Gain, V. Nutter, R. McGill, T. Allen, J. Read, E. Duyckinck & Co. and Edward Mitchell [1793? 1st American Edition] portrait with fox skin cap and spectacles, title, engraved by P. R. Maverick, 172 and 142 pp. (124)

WORKS of the late Dr. Benjamin Franklin; consisting of his life, written by himself, together with Essays, humorous, moral & literary: Chiefly in the Manner of the Spectator. In 2 vol. The second American Edition. New York, Samuel Campbell, 1794, portrait engraved by B. Tanner, N. Y. Sept. 1794, 206 and 142 pp. 12° (125)

THE WAY to Wealth or Poor Richard Improved. By Benj. Franklin, pp. 1-30; La Science du Bonhomme Richard, pp. 31-82; Lettres de Franklin, pp. 82-114; Dialogue entre la Goutte et Franklin, pp. 115-144; Quelques Mots sur l'Amérique, pp. 145-184; Observations sur les Sauvages du Nord de l'Amérique, Par Franklin, 28 pp. Paris: A. A. Renouard, 1795, LARGE PAPER, calf extra, gilt edges, fine portrait. 12° (126)

THE WAY to Wealth or Poor Richard Improved by Benj. Franklin. La Science du Bonhomme Richard. Lettres de Franklin. Dialogue entre la Goutte et Franklin. Quelques Mots sur l'Amérique. Epitaph; Table; Catalogue des Lines imprimées par J. B. BODONI, que se trouvent chez A. A. Renouard. Paris, A. A. Renouard, 1795, fine portrait by Tardieu, after Duplessis, 185 pp. and 31, large paper, old calf, 12° (127)

THE LIFE of Dr. B. Franklin. Written by himself. Salem: Cushing and Carlton, 1796, 132 pp. sewn, 12° (128)

WORKS of the late Dr. Benjamin Franklin, consisting of his Life written by himself: together with Essays humorous, moral and literary, &c. In two volumes. Dundee, G. Milln, 1796, vol. I, x and 232 pp.; vol. II, London, for C. Dilly, 1796, iv and 227 pp. 16° (129)

- CHESS** made easy. New and Comprehensive Rules for playing the Game of Chess; with Examples from Philidor, Cunningham, &c. To which is prefixed a pleasing Account of its Origin; etc. written by the ingenious and learned Dr. Franklin. London: H. D. Symonds, [1797], 72 pp. sewn. 12° (130)
- VIE** de Benjamin Franklin, écrite par lui-même, suivie de ses Œuvres morales, politiques et littéraires, dont la plus grande partie n'avoit pas encore été publiée. Traduit de l'Anglais, avec des Notes, par J. Castéra. Tom I, Exquisitely engraved portrait by Alexr. Tardieu, after Duplessis, viii and 382 pp. Tom II. 438 pp. boards. A Paris, chez F. Buisson, An VI de la Republique [1797]. 8° (131)
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8vo. Boston, Everett & Munroe, 1809-10

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De Pauw in 1770 his *Defence* of his first two volumes, which added no new facts, but sopped the whole controversy in bitterness and absurdity. In 1771 Pernetty published his *Examen* in two volumes as a rejoinder. By this time he had studied the subject pretty well, and successfully refuted many of De Pauw's statements, but the difficulty was that he had had no practical experience in the matter and reasoned only from what he could see from the top of a pile of books. His vision was limited and his experience nothing. Meanwhile the witty anonymous author of this little work, seeing the absurd wooden sword contest of these two PP in historical darkness, having himself been in America and lived among the Savages during part of the seven years' war, put his plain common sense notions in type in these fifteen chapters, casting a pleasant veil of obscurity over the two priestly champions. This book fills 80 pp. counting the title and preface. In some copies there is inserted, as in this one, a leaf after the title called *Avertissement au Lecteur*, to show that he takes no notice of Pernetty's last work because his and that work were in the press at the same time. He could, he says, have made a book on the subject but did not think it worth the trouble.

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- 1391 DISCOVERIES of the French in 1768 and 1769, to the South-East of New Guinea, with the Subsequent Visits to the same Lands by English Navigators, who gave them new names. To which is prefixed, an historical abridgment of the Voyages and Discoveries of the Spaniards in the same seas. By M[*** formerly captain in the French Navy]. Translated from the French, maps, fine copy, old calf 4to. London : John Stockdale, 1791

- 1392 DOBBS (Arthur) An Account of the Countries adjoining to Hudson's Bay, in the North-West Part of America, containing a Description of their Lakes and Rivers, etc. With an Abstract of Capt. Middleton's Journal, etc. The whole intended to show the great Probability of a North-West Passage, map, fine and clean, sewed 4to. London : J. Robinson, 1744

- 1393 DOBRIZHOFFER (Martin) Historia de Abiponibus equestri, bellicosae Paraquariæ Natione locupletata copiosis Barbarum gentium, urbium, fluminum, ferarum, amphibiorum, insectorum, serpentuno præcipuorum, piscium, avium, arborum, plantarum, aliarumque eiusdem provinciæ, proprietatum observationibus, authore Martino Dobrizhoffer Presbytero, et per annos duo de viginti Paraquariæ Missionario, 3 vol. Vol. I, 12 prel. leaves and 476 pp. with frontispiece and map or plates at pp. 68, 88 and 366 ; II, 3 prel. leaves, pp. 2-499, errata 2 pp. map at p. 2, plates at pp. 30, 315 ; III, 3 prel. leaves, pp. 2-424, census of the 30 principal towns and folded sheet, errata 2 pp. 1 map and 1 plate at pp. 357, vellum 8vo. Viennæ, typis J. N. de Kurzbeke, 1784

- 1394 DOBRIZHOFFER (Martin) Geschichte der Abiponer, einer berittenen und kriegerischen Nation in Paraguay. Bereichert mit einer Menge Beobachtungen über die wilden Völkerschaften Städte, Flüsse, vierfüßigen Thiere, Amphibien, Insekten, merkwürdigsten Schlangen, Fische, Vögel, Bäume, Pflangen, und andere Eigenschaften dieser Provinz-Verfasst von Herrn Abbe Martin Dobrizhoffer, achtzehn Jahre lang gewesenen Missionär in Paraguay. Aus dem Lateinischen übersetzt von A. Kreil, 3 vol. 8vo. Wien, bei Joseph Edlen von Kurzbeke, 1783

- 1395 DONCK (ADRIAEN VANDER, *Doctor of Laws still residing in New Nederland*) BESCHRYVINGE VAN NIEUW-NEDERLAND (Glijck het tegenwoordigh in Staet is) Begrijpende de Nature, Aert, gelegentheyt en vruchtbaerheyt van het selve Landt; *etc. etc.* Den tweeden Druck. Met een pertinent kaertje van't zelve Landt verciert, en van veel druck fouten gesuyvert. 4 *preliminary leaves*; *map of New Nederland with a view of New Amsterdam*; *text 100 pages, Register 2 leaves*; *second title "Conditien, Die door de Heeren Burgermeesteren der Stadt Amsterdam;" etc. 8 pages, fine, large, clean copy, every way perfect*
4to. *Amsterdam, By Evert Nieuwenhof, 1656*

This second edition has the map and the *CONDITIEN* not in the first edition. See lot 200. On the other hand the first edition of 1655 has a large view of New Amsterdam in the text not in this second edition. Both editions are equally rare.

- 1396 DOPPELMAYR (JOHANN GABRIEL) Historische Nachricht von den Nürnbergischen Mathematicis und Künstlern, welche fast von dreyen Seculis her durch ihre Schrifften und Kunst-Bemühungen die Mathematic und mehreste Künste in Nürnberg vor andern trefflich befördert, *etc. fol. Nurnberg, Peter Monaths, 1730*

This is one of the most suggestive and important books known for the use of students of early and mediæval Geography, especially for the great age of Discovery. It not only contains the lives of the celebrated Nurnberg mathematicians, astronomers and geographers, such as Regiomontanus, Bibaldus Pirkheimer, Martin Behaim, John Werner, John Schöner, *etc.* but is full of bibliographical references to their numerous works, and the books they themselves used. Among the 20 copper plates is the earliest facsimile of Behaim's Globe of 1492, taken before that globe had been restored, and before some of the names were lost. For instance we here find *India patalis*, a name now effaced from the globe, but which may hint the origin of Oronce Finé's *Regio Patalis* on his map of 1532, which has so much puzzled geographers.

- 1397 Dousa (George) Georgii Dousæ, de Itinere svo Constantinopolitano Epistola. *Ex Officina Plantiniana, Apud Christophorum Raphelengium, good copy, old calf* 8vo. *Lug. Bat. 1599*

- 1398 DRESSER (MATTHÆUS) HISTORIEN UND BERICHT von dem Newlicher zeit erfundenen Königreich China wie es nach umbstenden so zu einer rechtmessigen Beschreibung gehören darumb beschaffen. Item von dem auch NEUFUNDENEN LANDE VIRGINIA [By THOMAS HARIOT] Jetzund auff's newe ubersehen vnnd mit einem Zusatz vermehret Nemlich: wie es umb die Religion in Perser vnnd Mohrenland unter Priester Johan bewandsen, 4 *prel. leaves and 297 pp. (wants all after p. 256)*
4to. *Halle, Paull Grebein, 1598*

This rare book is valuable for its second or middle portion, being a translation into German of the "Brief and True Report of the Newfoundland of Virginia," by THOMAS HARIOT, first printed in English in 1588, and afterwards printed by De Bry at Franckfurt in English, Latin, French and German. This is a fine copy of a very rare book, but wants pages 257 to 297. The part containing Hariot's Virginia, however, is perfect, viz. pages 151 to 203.

- 1399 Du Ponceau (Pierre Etienne) Mémoire sur le Système Grammatical des Langues de quelques Nations Indiennes de l'Amérique du Nord, *fine and clean, in half calf* 8vo. *Paris, 1838*

- 1400 Dwight (Timothy) Greenfield Hill: a Poem in Seven Parts, *fine copy in old calf, a scarce edition*
8vo. *New York: Printed by Childs and Swaine, 1794*

- 1401 Edwards (Bryan) An Historical Survey of the Island of Saint Domingo, *boards, uncut* 4to. *London, J. Stockdale, 1803*

- 1402 EDWARDS (JONATHAN, A.M. *Pastor of the Church in Stockbridge*) A careful and strict enquiry into the modern prevailing notions of that Freedom of Will, which is supposed to be essential to Moral Agency, Vertue and Vice, Reward and Punishment, Praise and Blame, *xii and 294 pp. index 5 and subscribers 9 pp.* 8vo. Boston, N.E. S. Kneeland, 1754

This FIRST EDITION of EDWARDS ON THE WILL is seldom found complete and in good order like the present copy.

- 1403 EPINOY (ESTEBAN DEL) *Compendio de la Esfera, y uso del Globo, dispuesto en doce dialogos entre maestro, y discipulo* [*followed by a MS. of 196 folios entitled Tratado de la Esfera*] *in 1 vol. fine and clean, vellum*
4to. Madrid, En la Imprenta de la Vinda de Manuel Fernandez, 1768
- 1404 Estancelin (L.) *Recherches sur les Voyages et découvertes des Navigateurs Normands en Afrique, dans les Indes Orientales et en Amérique, half calf, scarce* 8vo. Paris
- 1405 FEDERAL LANDS. AN EXPLANATION of the Map which delineated that part of the Federal Lands, comprehended between Pennsylvania West Line, the Rivers Ohio and Sioto, and Lake Erie; confirmed to the United States by sundry Tribes of Indians, in the Treaties of 1784 and 1786, and now ready for Settlement, *24 pp. very fine copy, uncut, SCARCE*
8vo. Salem: Dabney & Crushing, 1787

This book is certified to by "Thomas Hutchins, Geographer of the United States." It is said to have been written by or published for the Rev. Dr. Manasseh Cutler, the New England botanist. Considering the date this is a remarkable production. It gives the geography, natural history, resources and productions of what is now the State of Ohio. But particularly it treats of the inland river navigation and the mode of conveying merchandize to and from the Ocean. About this time Rumsay of Virginia, and Fitch of Connecticut, were in a paper warfare about the invention of a steam boat (see lot 756 above). In this book on page 13 are the following observations and remarkable prophesy: "But the current down the Ohio and the Mississippi, for heavy articles that suit the Florida and West India markets, such as corn, flour, beef, lumber, &c. will be more frequently loaded than any streams on earth. The distance from the Scioto to the Mississippi is 800 miles; from thence to the sea is 900. This whole course is easily run in 15 days; and the passage up those rivers is not so difficult as has usually been represented. It is found by late experiments that sails are used to great advantage against the current of the Ohio; and it is worthy of observation, that in all probability steamboats will be found to do infinite service in all our extensive river navigation." For further particulars see Wm. F. Poole's "The Ordinance of 1787, and Dr. Manassah Cutler as an Agent in its formation;" and also P. G. Thompson's excellent Bibliography of Ohio, 1880, page 84. T. W. Field's copy in 1875 sold by auction in New York for 21 dollars. No map was published with the pamphlet.

- 1406 Filson (John) *Histoire de Kentucke, nouvelle colonie a l'Ouest de la Virginie. Traduite par M. Parraud, map, fine large copy, half roan* 8vo. Paris, Chez Buisson, 1785
- 1407 Filson. *Histoire de Kentucke, another copy, half calf*
- 1408 FONTANA (BARTHOLOMEO) *ITINERARIO o vero viaggio da Venetia a Roma con tvtte le Città, Terre, & Castilla per strade piu habitate, con breue dittione delle sette chiefe principali di Roma, & altre diuotioni, etc. etc. 35 foliod leaves, vellum, very rare* 8vo. Vinegia, Agostino Bindoni, 1550
- 1409 Force (Peter, *Editor of the American Archives*) *The Declaration of Independence, or notes on Lord Mahon's History of the American Declaration of Independence* [collected and edited by Henry Stevens, G.M.B. F.S.A. etc. *66 pp. stitched, very few copies printed, scarce* 8vo. London: Chiswick Press, for G. Willis, 1855

- 1410 Finé (Oronce) De his quæ mundo mirabiliter evenivnt : vbi de sensuum erroribus, & potentijs animæ, ac de influentijs cælorum, F. Claudij Cælestini opusculum. De mirabili potestate artis et Natvrae, vbi de philosophorum lapide, F. Rogerij Bachonis Anglici, libellus. Hæc duo gratissima, & non aspernanda opuscula Orontius F. Delph. Regius Mathematicus, diligenter recognoscebat, & in suam redigebat harmoniam, *fine copy, vellum 4to. Lutetiae Parisiorum, Apud Simonen Colincæum, 1542*
- 1411 FORESTI (JACOBUS PHILIPPUS *Bergomensis*) Supplementvm Supplementi delle Cronicha : Nouamente reuisto, Vulgarizato, & Historiato, & con somma deligentia corretto : con la Gionta Vltima del 1540, insino al 1552, *vellum, scarce edition Folio. Venetia, 1553*
- 1412 Formaleoni (Vicenzio) Dei fonti degli Errori nella Cosmografia, e Geografia degli Antichi, *fine large and clean copy, boards, uncut roy. 8vo. Venezia, Nella Tipographia dell' Autore, 1789*
- 1413 GABRIELLI (Gulio, *of Gubbio*) Ivlii Gabriellii Evgybini Orationvm, et Epistolarvm, partim svo, partim aliorvm nomine scriptarvm, Libri duo Epistola de rebvs Indicis à quodam societatis Iesv Presbytero Italicè scripta, & nunc primum in latinum conuersa à Iulio Gabrielis Engubino, *fine copy, grained roan, scarce 4to. Venetiis, F. Ziletti, 1569*
- The last 17 pages of this interesting volume relate to the Jesuit Missions in Brasil in 1558.
- 1414 Galeani Napione (Giovanni Francesco) Del Primo Scopritore del Continente del Nuovo Monde e dei più antichi Storici che ne scrissero Ragionamento che serve di supplemento alle due lettere su la scoperta del Nuovo Mondo publicate nel libro intitolato della patria di Christoforo Colombo stampato in Firenze nell' anno 1808, *fine and uncut, on large paper 8vo. Firenze, 1809*
- 1415 Garcia (Gregorio) Origen de los Indios de el Nuevo Mundo, e Indias Occidentales, averiguado con discurso de opiniones. Tratanse en este libro varias cosas, y puntos curiosos, tocantes à diversas ciencias, i facultades, con que se hace varia historia, de mucho gusto para el ingenio, i enterdimiento de hombres agudos, i curiosos. Segunda impresion. Enmendada, y añadida de algunas opiniones, ò cosas notables, en maior prueba de lo que contiene, *etc. clean and in vellum Folio. Madrid : Francisco Martinez Abad, 1729*
- 1416 Garcilasso de la Vega *Ynca*. Histoire des Yncas, Rois du Peru ; contenant leur origine, depuis le premier Ynca Manco Capac, *etc.* Avec une description des animaux, des fruits, *etc.* Traduite de l' Espagnol par J. Baudoin, 2 vol. *old calf 8vo. Amsterdam, Jaques Desbordes, 1715*
- 1417 Gass (Patrick) A Journal of the Voyages and Travels of a Corps of Discovery, under the Command of Captain Lewis and Captain Clarke, from the mouth of the River Missouri through the Interior Parts of North America, to the Pacific Ocean, 1804-1806. *8vo. Pittsburg, printed ; London : Reprinted for J. Budd, etc. 1808 Bound with Travels in the United States of America, 1793-1798, with the author's Journals of his two voyages across the Atlantic, 2 vol. in 1, half calf London : J. Johnson, 1802*

- 1418 GERALDINUS (ALEXANDER) *ITINERARIUM AD REGIONES SVB ÆQVINOCTIALI* plaga constitvtas Alexandri Geraldini Amerini, Episcopi Civitatis S. Dominici Apud Indos Occidentales, Apostolicis, Imperialibus, & Regijs Legationibus functi, etc. 16 *prelim. pages, including the engraved and printed titles : text 284 pp. index 18 leaves not numbered, fine copy in dark polished morocco extra by Pratt* 8vo. Romæ, Typis Guilelmi Facciotti, 1631

This book is a puzzle to bibliographers and historians, resulting probably rather from a want of chronology than from a want of authenticity. Geraldinus was born at Amerini about 1455, and as a young man found his way to Spain. At first he became a soldier in the wars against Portugal, and next was employed at Court in the Service of ISABELLA, then as priest, private secretary, tutor and companion in the household of Ferdinand and Isabella. Soon after as confidential agent or legate he was sent to Pope Alexander VI, and to the various princes of Europe with whom he concluded many bargains or treaties. His editor claims also that he visited Africa and its many rulers, the isles of the Atlantic and even India, but it is suspected that a great portion of this is taken from well-known authors named, such as Cadamosto, Alvares, Leo Africanus, Sanuto, Pigafetta, Barros, Corsalis, &c. At all events he was attached to the Court of Ferdinand and Isabella in confidential and intimate capacities when COLUMBUS brought his grand idea there about 1485, and rendered the Great Discoverer many essential services during his seven years dancing attendance on *Los Reyes*. This seems to the editor, his grand nephew, to be the proudest feather in his ancestor's cap. He aided Columbus, it is claimed, on many occasions, and being a good mathematician was able to explain to the grand Cardinal and the bishops to whom Columbus's conundrum was referred, how it was possible to go to the East by the West, and that there were really Antipodes in spite of the statements of some of the Fathers. When Charles came to Spain Geraldinus was made Bishop of St. Domingo, and after some five years' residence in that city died there in 1525. Copies differ in the preliminary leaves, some having been issued with 4, others with 8, and some with even 20 leaves, twelve of them being sonnets, verses, &c. subsequently added. This copy is complete with 8.

- 1419 Gibson (Edmund, *Bishop of London*) The Bishop of London's Pastoral Letter to the People of his Diocese ; especially those of the two great Cities of London and Westminster : by way of caution, against Lukewarmness on one hand, and Enthusiasm on the other [directed chiefly against Whitfield in America] *sewed* 8vo. London : S. Buckley, 1739
- 1420 GIBSON (James) A Journal of the Late Siege by the Troops from North America, against the French at Cape Breton, the City of Louisbourg, and the Territories thereunto belonging. Surrendered to the English on the 17th June 1745, after a siege of 48 days, *title and 49 pp. boards, uncut, very rare, wants plan of Louisbourg* 8vo. London : J. Newberry, 1745
- 1421 Goodell (Solomon, *of Jamaica, Vermont*) The Spanish Court of Inquisition erected in Vermont, or, a Narrative of the Proceedings of several Baptist Elders and Churches, 48 *pp.* 8vo. Brattleborough, Printed for the Author, 1810
- 1422 Grant (Charles, *Viscount de Vaux*) The History of Mauritius, or the Isle of France, and the neighbouring Islands ; from their first discovery to the present time ; composed principally from the papers and memoirs of Baron Grant, who resided twenty years in the Island, by his Son, *old russia* 4to. London : W. Bulmer, for the Author, 1801
- 1423 Grant (Maj. Gen. Charles, *Viscount de Vaux*) The Means of finding the Longitude at Sea, gradually developed, discovered, and demonstrated in four astronomical, geographical, nautical, historical, mathematical, and mechanical Dissertations, *portrait, maps and plates, calf* 4to. London : For the Author, 1808

- 1424 Grant (James) The Narrative of a Voyage of Discovery performed in his Majesty's Vessel The Lady Nelson, of 60 tons burthen, with sliding keel, in 1800, 1801, and 1802, to New South Wales, *etc. maps and plates* 4to. London: C. Roworth, 1803
- 1425 Gravier (N. F.) Histoire de la Ville épiscopale et de l'arrondissement de Saint-Dié, Département des Vosges, sous le Gouvernement Théocratique de quatre Monastères en opposition avec les Ducs de Lorraine et les Princes Constitutionnels de Solm, *sewed, uncut, scarce* 8vo. Epinal, Gerard, 1836
- 1426 GROOT (JELDERT JANSZ) Beknopt en getrouw Verhaal, van de Reys van Commandeur J. J. Groot, uit Texel na en in Groenland, &c. Deszelfs Verblyf op de Kust van Oud-Groenland, naa het Verongelukken van deszelfs onderhebbend Schip, tusschen Ysland en Staatenhoek. Voorgevallen in Ao. 1777 en 1778, 16 pp. 4to. Amsterdam: Gedrukt voor den Auteur
- 1427 GRYNÆUS (SIMON) NOVVS ORBIS, *fine large copy, no map folio. Basilicæ, Apud Io. Hervagium, 1555*
- 1428 HAKLUYT (RICHARD) THE PRINCIPALL NAVIGATIONS, Voiages and Discoveries of the English nation, made by Sea or ouer Land, to the most remote and farthest distant Quarters of the earth at any time within the compasse of these 1500 yeeres: *etc. &c. 8 prelim. leaves and text in 825 pp. followed by a "table" of 9 pp. folio. Imprinted at London by George Bishop and Ralph Newberie, Deputies to Christopher Barker, 1589*
- This matchless copy, large, and every way perfect, is bound uniformly with the next lot, by RIVIERE in his best gros grained French morocco to a genuine Roger Payne pattern of great beauty and delicacy of finish. Besides Sir JEROME BOWE'S Voyage, between pages 490 and 506, and the generously suppressed Voyage of Sir FRANCIS DRAKE "about the whole globe," six leaves not numbered between pages 643 and 644, this copy contains the correct map named in the preface by Hakluyt as being inserted as a substitute in consequence of the great map in hand by Molyneux not being then ready. The map is really a close copy of Ortelius' map of the world first published at Antwerp in 1585, and is very seldom found.
- 1429 HAKLUYT (RICHARD) THE PRINCIPAL NAVIGATIONS, VOYAGES, TRAFVQUES AND DISCOVERIES OF THE ENGLISH NATION, 3 vol. in 2, vol. I 1599, 12 *prelim. leaves and 619 pp.*; II, 1599, 8 *prelim. leaves and 312 & 204 pp.*; III, 1600, 8 *prelim. leaves and 868 pp. folio. London: George Bishop, Ralph Newberie and Robert Barker, 1599-1600*

A splendid copy, every way perfect, with the original voyage to Cadiz at the end of volume I, and the map by Molyneux finished and published about 1600; bound in 2 volumes uniform with the preceding lot by RIVIERE, in his best gros grained French morocco to a genuine Roger Payne pattern. Besides being in first rate condition the value of this copy is greatly enhanced by having in it MOLYNEUX'S MAP, on two sheets, pasted together, both fine and uniformly brilliant impressions, the only copy we believe that has been offered for sale by auction in London for nearly forty years, the last occurring in Bright's sale. The only other copies that we know of are, 1. That in the King's Library. 2. In the Grenville Library. 3. In the Crachrode collection, all three in the British Museum. 4. The Library of the Admiralty. 5. The Lenox Library, New York. 6. The Library of the University of Cambridge. 7. The private Library of Mr. Christie-Miller, and 8. The Middle Temple Library, all save one locked up in public libraries. The writer held orders of many years standing to secure this map alone at £100, but without success. The size of the map, when the two sheets are properly pasted together is 16½ by 25 inches and is entitled "Thou hast here (gentle reader) a true hydrographical description of so much of the world as hath been hitherto discovered, and is come to our knowledge: which we have in such sort performed, y^e all places herein set downe, have the same positions and distances that they have in the globe, being therein placed in same longitudes and latitudes which they have in this chart;" *etc.* This copy is the first issue of Molyneux' map and has not the Cartouch about Sir Francis Drake, in the lower left hand corner, subsequently added. For a full account,

description, facsimile and index of this the most rare as well as the most valuable of early English maps, see the recent publication of the Hakluyt Society. Mr. C. H. Coote of the British Museum, has, we understand, demonstrated that it is the map referred to by Shakspeare in *Twelfth Night*, Act iii, Scene ii, "He does smile his face into more lines than are in the new map, with the Augmentation of the Indies." The writer however is half inclined to think that the map, "with *The Augmentation of the Indies*," may be the curious little round face-shaped map of the World in Wytfleit's *Ptolemæum Augmentum* first published in 1597, and re-issued in Latin and French in 1598, 1603, 1607 and 1611, it being simply Ptolemy's *World Augmented* by the addition of the East and West Indies—the *Indies* at that time meaning the *West* as well as the *East* Indies.

- 1430 HAKLUYT (RICHARD) A Selection of curious, rare, and early Voyages, and histories of interesting Discoveries, chiefly published by Hakluyt, or at his suggestion, but not included in his celebrated compilation to which, to Purchas, and other general collections, this is intended as a Supplement, *fine, clean and UNCUT, now become very rare in this condition and with this title* 4to. London, R. H. Evans, 1812
- 1431 HANNAY (ROBERT) A true account of the Proceedings, Sense and Advice of the People called Quakers. At the Yearly Meeting in London the 28th of the 3d month 1694. In order to put an end to the Divisions and Differences among some of the People called QUAKERS IN AMERICA. Account of the Proceedings at Burlington [New Jersey] *etc. fine large copy in calf extra by Pratt, SCARCE* 4to. London, R. Lewis, 1694
- 1432 HARANGVE / d'vn CACHQVE / INDIEN, envoyée avx / François, pour se garder / de la Tyrannie de / L'Espagnol. / Traduite par P. A. / Avec l'interpretation des mots / Indiens, Latins, & Espagnols. / Par L. S. / 8 foliod leaves, the reverse of title blank, *fine copy, half morocco, SCARCE* 8vo. s. l. M.D.XCVI.
- 1433 HENNEPIN (Louis) Bescryving van Louisiana, Nieuwelijks ontdekt ten Zuid-Westen van Nieuw-Vrankryk, *etc.* Mitsgaders de Geographische en Historische Beschrijving der Kusten van Noord-America, Door der Heer Denys, *very fine copy, completely uncut, with brilliant impression of the engraved portrait title, scarce in this fine state* 4to. Amst. By Jan ten Hoorn, 1688
- 1434 HENNEPIN (Louis) NOUVELLE DECOUVERTE d'un tres grand Pays situé dans l'Amerique entre Le Nouveau Mexique, et La Mer Glaciale, avec les Cartes, & les Figures necessaires, *etc.* [Tom. I] Amst. chez Abraham van Someren, 1698, Nouveau Voyage d'un Pais plus grand que l'Europe avec les reflections des enterprises du Sieur de la Salle, *etc.* [Tom. II] 2 vol. *very fine, in calf extra by Pratt, the first volume wanting the map only, scarce* 8vo. Utrecht, chez Antoine Schouten, 1698
- 1435 HENNEPIN (Louis) NEUE ENTDECKUNG vieler sehr grossen Landschafften in America, *etc.* Ins Teutsch übersetzt durch M. J. G. Langen, C. Th. Mit Land-Charten und Kupffer-Figuren, *no map, sheep, a scarce edition* 16mo. Bremen, Philip Gottfr. Saurmans, 1699
- 1436 HENNEPIN (LOUIS) VOYAGE ou Nouvelle Decouverte d'un tres-grand Pays, dans l'Amerique, *etc.* Avec un Voyage qui contient une Relation exacte de l'Origin, *etc.* des Caraibes par le Sieur de La Borde, *sheep, maps and plates, one map wanting* 8vo. Amst. chez Adriaan Braakman, 1704
- 1437 HENNEPIN (Louis) AENMERKELYKE Voyagie Gedaan na't gedeelte van Noorder America, *etc. fine and large, vellum* 4to. Leyden, Pieteer vandr Aa. 1704

- 1438 HENNEPIN (Louis) VOYAGE où nouvelle Découverte d'un très-grand País, dans l'Amerique entre le Nouveau Mexique et la Mer Glaceale. Avec un Voyoge par le Sieur de La Borde, *fine and clean, with all the maps and plates, old calf extra*
8vo. Amsterdam, chez Jacques Desbordes, 1712
- 1439 Hill (Anthony) Afer Baptizatus: or, the Negro turn'd Christian. Being a Short Discourse [on Rom. vi, 18] shewing I. The Necessity of Instructing and Baptizing Slaves in English plantations. II. The Folly of that Vulgar Opinion, *That Slaves do cease to be Slaves when once Baptized.* Delivered (most of it) in a Sermon preach'd at Stratford-le-Bow, in Middlesex, March the 15th, 170 $\frac{1}{2}$. By A. Hill, Lecturer there and Chaplain to His Grace the Duke of Richmond, *title, dedication, 2 leaves; text 55 pp. clean, sewed*, SCARCE
8vo. London, Charles Broome, MDCCII.
- 1440 HILL (WILLIAM) A BRIEF NARRATIVE of that Stupendious Tragedie late intended to be acted by the Satanical Saints of these reforming times. Also an impartial Account of the Indictment, Arraignment, Tryal and Condemnation of Thomas Tonge, George Phillips, Francis Stubbs, James Hind, John Sallers, and Nathaniel Gibbs, at Justice-Hall in the Old-Baily, London, Decemb. 11. 1662. Together with the Confessions, Speeches, Prayers, etc. etc. 4 *prel. leaves and 50 pp. scarce*
4to. London, Printed in the Year 1663
- 1441 HONTER (JOANNES) RUDIMENTORVM COSMOGRAPHICORUM, libri III, cum tabellis Geographicis elegantissimis, *map of the world dated at Tfigure, 1546, fine copy, morocco*
8vo. Apud Froschoverum Tfigure, 1548
- 1442 HOOKER (THOMAS) The Covenant of Grace opened in severall Sermons, *title and preliminaries wanting, begins on sig. B p. 1, and ends at p. 85, half calf*
4to. [London? 1638?]
On the first fly leaf is the autograph of Eliphalet Adams, 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ and a list of 15 tracts in a volume of which this was the first. On the last page, apparently in the handwriting of Mr. Thomas Hooker, is "To Mr. Roger Willames Tresur. of N.E."
- 1443 Hooker (Thomas) The Sovles Preparation for Christ. Or, a Treatise of Contrition. Wherein is discovered how God breakes the heart, and wounds the Soule, in the conversion of a Sinner to Himselfe. The fourth edition, *good copy, old calf*
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- 1444 HOOKER (THOMAS) The Sovles humiliation [by T. Hooker]. Third edition. *poor copy, half calf*
4to. London, By T. Cotes for Andrew Crooke and Philip Nevill, 1640
- 1445 Hornius (Georgius) De Originibus Americanis Libri qvatvor, *fine copy, old vellum, blue lettering-piece*
8vo. Hagæ Comitû, Sumptibus Andreani Vlacq, 1652
- 1446 HORNOT (M.) Anecdotes Américaines, ou Historie Abrégée des Principaux Événements arrivés dans le Nouveau Monde, depuis sa découverte jusqu'à l'époque présente, *fine copy in old calf*
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